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WHAT COUNTY OFFICERS WILL GET FOR SERVICES

The 53 new counties provided for under the proposed constitution for the state of Oklahoma offers an alluring prospect for the would-be office holder. Fifty-three counties with an average of eleven elective officers to each county makes a total of 583 new places for political aspirants. Each elected official will be authorized to appoint at least one assistant at a fair salary, so the number of plums may readily be doubled.

This estimate does not include the 105 state representatives and 44 state senators, who will swell the grand total to 1315.

In addition to these will be the various township and district officers which will increase the total number several fold.

Under the proposed constitution the provisions regarding county officers contained in the Oklahoma statutes shall apply in the entire state, except that the office of coroner is abolished and the probate judge is made the county judge.

By the Oklahoma statutes the majority of the county officers are paid on a fee basis, so that the amount of each man's salary will vary with the amount of business transacted by his office.

The clerk of the district court, who has been appointed in the past, is one of the best paid officers in the territory.

The sheriff in each county is allowed certain fixed salaries, proportioned to the population of the county, and in addition thereto receives fees for certain services. With the advice and consent of the county commissioners, he is allowed to appoint such deputies and guards as are necessary for the proper administration of the office. In counties of 10,000 population or less he is allowed \$1,600 annually; over 10,000 and less than 15,000, \$2,000 per annum; 15,000 to 18,000, \$2,400. In all counties in excess of 18,000 population, the sheriff is allowed \$2,800.

The county judge, like the sheriff, is on a salary proportioned to the number of people in his bailiwick. In counties of 10,000 and less his salary is \$1,000. From 10,000 to 15,000, he is paid \$1,200; from 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,600 and in counties in excess of 18,000 population, \$2,000.

By a special provision in the constitution, the salary of the county judge and county attorney in counties of 40,000 population and over is fixed at \$3,000.

The register of deeds is allowed to retain the fees of his office up to certain limits fixed by population. The salary ranges from \$1,000 in counties of 10,000 and less, to \$2,000 where the population exceeds 18,000. In addition to this stipulated salary he is allowed to retain 50 per cent of all fees collected in excess of his salary.

The county clerk the provisions for salaries are made as follows. In counties of 5,000 population or less, \$500; 5,000 to 10,000, \$700; 10,000 to 15,000, \$1,000; 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,300; more than 18,000, \$1,600.

The county treasurer in counties of 10,000 or less receives \$600; from 10,000 to 14,000, \$850; from 14,000 to 18,000, \$1,000; and in all counties in excess of 18,000 the salary under the new state government will be \$3,000.

The three county commissioners in each county will receive from \$180 to \$350 per year in accordance with the population of their different counties. The county superintendent of public instruction is allowed from \$500 to \$1,000 per annum, proportioned to the population of the county.

The salaries of the justices of the peace, constables and other township officers are all on a fee basis, and depend altogether on the amount of business transacted.

As the office of coroner is abolished it is probable that in cities of any size the office of justice of the peace will be given added importance from the fact that the duties of the coroner will devolve on those officers.

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HOSTS OF DEMOCRACY GATHERING AT TULSA

Tulsa, I. T., March 25.—The Democratic hosts of the new state are pouring into Tulsa tonight to assemble with the State central committee tomorrow. By morning it is estimated that between 1,000 and 1,200 will be in attendance.

Nearly every candidate seeking the Democratic nomination for a state office is on the ground with his friends, and while the committee's meeting is to determine a date for the primary election and construe its application, these details are overshadowed alone by the contests for Governor and for United States Senators.

The Governor's race is yet uncertain as to candidates. Lee Cruce of Ardmore, the first to announce for this office, is represented by his brother, A. C. Cruce, of Ardmore, and a large following from that end of the state, all wearing Cruce badges. The candidate is expected in person tomorrow.

Tom Doyle of Perry is not represented tonight.

The situation is somewhat unsettled by talk of C. N. Haskell of Muskogee entering the race, and his friends here tonight say he will make a defiant statement tomorrow. It is announced he is coming by special train, with a large following from the Creek and Cherokee Nations. Haskell has been a central figure in the Constitutional convention at Guthrie, of which he is a member, and since the recess has been making speeches in defense of the document.

The race for United States Senator is waxing warm, with eight candidates in the field. M. L. Turner of Oklahoma City, Col. Roy Hoffman of Chandler, Col. Robt. L. Owen of Muskogee, Henry M. Furman of Ada, and T. P. Gore of Lawton, are the candidates here tonight. The nominations of Senators by direct vote of the people, as proposed, being somewhat recent in

political procedure, adds interest to the occasion, and presents no little speculation in what construction the committee will give the primary method applying in this race. Three of the candidates are from Indian Territory and five from Oklahoma.

An informal meeting of committee-men and candidates' friends was held this afternoon without result. The most popular plan opens the race to the whole state and allows a plurality to nominate, with the provision, however that one nominee is to be from Indian Territory and one from Oklahoma. The idea of confining nominations to a majority vote, at the same time preserving representation to both sections of the state, is meeting with little favor as this would mean a second primary for the four highest candidates, in the event no two secured a majority. The Texas plan applied to the Senatorial race is mentioned, but not admired. It is desired that the people settle the contests without an opportunity remaining to throw them into a convention or the Legislature.

The committee will more than likely apply the ruling in the Senatorial race to State officers as well.

Pinched for Vagrancy.

Patrolman George Culver Sunday night pinched a negro woman and two negro men who were without visible means of support. One of the men escaped over on West Thirteenth. Hoping to stop him, the officer shot three times, but without avail. The fugitive, however, was apprehended the next day and all three were given appropriate fines for vagrancy.

In default both of money and a city rock pile they are languishing in the city bastille.

A convivially inclined Indian was assessed a dollar and costs in the Mayor's court.

NEGRO SOLDIERS FOUND GUILTY BY COURT-MARTIAL

Washington, March 26.—The senate committee on military affairs received from the secretary of war a copy of a telegram from Brig. Gen. McCaskey, commanding the department of Texas, concerning the Major Penrose court-martial. The telegram says that Penrose was exonerated, but that the court found that the "shooting up" of Brownsville was done by members of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry.

The following is the text of the telegram:

"Major Gen. Ainsworth; Major Penrose was exonerated by the court-martial, but the court found that the shooting in Brownsville was done by the men of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry. Finding approved by me, McCaskey, Commander."

J. L. Tribble of Watertown, Tenn., is prospecting in the city.

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The Kingdom of China—The Shaded Portion of the Map Indicates the Territory Stricken by Famine.

Frightful famine has its clutches on two lands. Owing to the drought and the failure of the crops in South Central Russia, 30,000,000 Russians in 27 provinces have seen their means of subsistence swept away. Men, women and children, huddled in their miserable villages on the steppes of the Volga and the Caspian sea, are face to face with starvation. It is feared that ten per cent. may die before new crops can be gathered.

The flooding of 40,000 square miles of lowlands in northeastern China has rendered 15,000,000 homeless. It is believed that fully 4,000,000 of these may perish.

So pitiful are these calamities that the voices of the starving peasants have been heard around the world. America has been among the first and most generous in appreciating the dire need and in giving of her prosperity. But all that has been given as yet has scarcely touched the fringe of the famine-stricken districts.

New York.—The climax of the great Chinese famine is at hand. In the seaboard provinces 4,000,000 men, women and children are starving—more than the population of Manhattan, Brooklyn, the Bronx, Queens, and Richmond. According to the latest reports, the situation is much more serious than that described in these columns a few weeks ago by a correspondent in Shanghai. Since early in the winter the 4,000,000 refugees have been homeless and destitute. According to the vicerey of Kiangsu, it is ten times worse than any famine known in China in the last 40 years. In point of mortality, it is the worst calamity that has befallen mankind since the beginning of the new century.

The end is not yet. As the Chinese winter reaches its height, more and more people must succumb to hunger and exposure. It is not a question of surviving, but of how many thousands must die. That the famine will last for months to come is a certainty. With all the generosity of other civilized nations, the relief is inadequate.

40,000 Square Miles Flooded.

The messages received from China last December told of the beginnings of the famine. For 40 days and nights it rained constantly. The great canal, extending 700 miles from Tien-Tsin to Hang Chan, close to the sea-coast in the provinces of Chekiang, Kiangsu, and Shan Tung, burst its banks and 40,000 square miles of low plains were flooded. Fifteen millions of people in five provinces were more or less affected. Of these, 8,000,000 lost their property, including their buildings and food supplies. Four millions were left absolutely destitute.

To these beginnings, nearly three months of unspeakable misery have since been added. The intermediate stages were, in some respects, peculiar to China. The dwellings and farm buildings had mud walls and roofs of thatch. The walls melted like paper as the water leaked through them. The peasants were forced to abandon them and wade through water up to their armpits to reach dry land.

Stores of Grain Lost.

These Chinese farmers were a frugal people living on millet, rice, peanuts, sweet potatoes, maize, and wheat. At the beginning of the winter their store of grain was swept away. The horses, cattle, and even the dogs that survived were sold. Hunger reduced thousands to a diet of gruel made of beans, when they could be found, and sweet potato leaves.

Then came reports of pitiful episodes peculiarly oriental in their nature. So intense did the suffering become that many sought death. Parents killed their children by throwing them into the water, then took their

own lives. Aged people are being drowned, or poisoned with opium, to prevent their slow death by hunger.

The vicerey in one of the flooded provinces tells of a family consisting of a father, mother, and two children, all of whom perished in a single day. The mother left the house in search of food. In her absence the father drowned the children. When the mother returned, she asked where the little ones were. Her husband replied that he could not bear to see them starve to death, and as there was no chance of feeding them, he had thrown them into the water. The distraught woman followed her children. The father, in utter despair, took his own life.

Sell Their Children.

In some parts of the provinces of Honan, Kiangsu, and Anhui parents are selling their offspring, the girls for three dollars and the boys for two dollars Mexican, which means about one-half those amounts in American money. A correspondent declares that in the Szechow and Pichow districts the starving people have been reduced to eating human flesh, and that it is being sold secretly among the famine sufferers.

Early in the new year, the famine situation changed. The starving peasants flocked to the nearest cities in their quest for food. They are living in great camps, where the pitiful conditions are intensified a hundredfold. There are now fully 800,000 refugees at nine cities—Tsingkiangpu, Husian, Yanchow, Yaowan, Hsuehchou, Suchien, Hsien, Chinkiang, and Nanking.

One of the largest gatherings is at Tsingkiangpu, on the edge of the famine district. Here there are five camps each with at least 10,000 refugees, or three times as many at one point as there were Cuban reconcentrados in 1898. The flour and bean shops of the city have been closed. There are no foodstuffs available. All are dependent on charity.

In a large camp at Antung the destitute peasants are also facing death. The Chinese officials acknowledge their helplessness, and say that the only feasible course is to let one-half the people die and endeavor to obtain seed and scanty food for those who remain.

In Suchien, 20 per cent of the people have been living on gruel for weeks. All the cattle have been sold and the donkeys, sheep, hogs, and even the dogs have been eaten. Pitiful Scenes in Refugee Camps. In these camps the starving people find shelter in flimsy huts of matted grass and strip the bark from trees, devouring them ravenously to allay the pangs of their hunger. In the better camps the people are fortunate if they receive a scanty tea cup of rice a day.

This is usually supplied at the

kitchens established by the relief committees. Some of the most pitiful scenes in the camps are enacted as the crowds of refugees, emaciated, diseased, and in rags, besiege the kitchens for the dole of food which means their lives.

J. L. Rogers, American consul of the district, who is acting as the special Red Cross representative among the famine sufferers, visited refugee camps at Chinkiang and Nanking recently. He was told that these were infinitely better than the other camps along the canal, yet he found the wretchedness, misery, and appalling horror of the sight almost indescribable.

There is no attempt at sanitation, he says. The mat huts are crowded together, and each contains many men, women, and children, who are clothed in rags and are disheveled beyond description. To make matters worse, smallpox and other diseases have appeared among them.

Widespread Measures for Relief.

The famine will continue for five more months, or until the crop of spring wheat is harvested. Each sufferer needs little yet in the aggregate the requirements for their relief are formidable. It is said that ten cents a day will save a family, and \$100 will relieve a small community. Assuming that the total number of destitute is 4,000,000, the relief fund must be \$20,000 a day for five months, or at least \$3,000,000. The relief thus far has been trifling in comparison with the need.

In all parts of America purse strings have been loosened by men, women and even little children to save their kind from the pangs of hunger and death. The contributions range from five cents to \$1,000 or more. Nearly every State is represented.

Fund for Sufferers.

A fund, started by contributions of \$100 each from President Roosevelt and Secretary Root, is being raised by the Christian Herald of this city. From this fund \$35,000 has been sent to China through the state department at Washington. The newspaper has promised to raise \$50,000 a month additional for February, March, April and May.

The Red Cross Society has raised about \$60,000. Of this \$45,000 has been sent to China. Several weeks ago 300 tons of foodstuffs were shipped from America to the famine districts. The California Red Cross society was also instrumental in sending 2,500 bushels of seed wheat from San Francisco two weeks ago on the Siberia, free transportation having been offered by the Pacific Mail Steamship company. Five thousand bushels of seed wheat have been given to the Red Cross at Portland, Ore., and it is being gathered at Seattle for shipment.

There are two relief committees in China. One is composed of Chinese, Europeans and Americans, at Shanghai. The other comprises missionaries exclusively. They are sending food into the districts where the greatest suffering prevails, but have been unable to do more than relieve the starving peasants that are near at hand, owing to the lack of funds.

As early as possible in the famine the American Missionary society loaded 3,500 bags of millet and rice on boats and sent them up to the great canal to the starving peasants. Another consignment of 20,000 bags followed soon after. Thus far fully 16,500 more bags of grain have been distributed, making 40,000 in all.

The Chinese officials realize that the crisis is at hand, and have taken extraordinary measures to aid their starving fellows. Taxes in the affected provinces have been abated. Many officials have had their salaries reduced, the saving being devoted to relief. The mints are running overtime to coin cash. The acute sufferers in some of the districts are receiving three cash (a sixth of a cent) a day for a month. It is also proposed to re-open old canals and rebuild old roads, and thus afford the starving an opportunity to earn a living.

SOME FAMOUS LOVING CUPS.

King Hal's Grace Cup and the Skinners' Peacock Cup.

Some of the old loving cups were called grace cups. Of the specimens now in possession of the English guilds and corporations the most famous is the Henry VIII. grace cup, which belongs to the Barbers' Co., of London.

With its four globular bells hanging around the outer rim, says the Jewellers' Circular, this cup might well excite the envy of even the most honest collector of silverware.

The name of the cup is derived from the fact that King Hal was the donor, the grace cup being intended to commemorate the union of the barbers with the guild of surgeons. The cover carried the Tudor rose, port cullis and fleur-de-lis, the final of the lid being mounted with the imperial crown, the English and French arms being beneath, supported by the lion and greyhound.

The Skinners' Co. has a peacock cup, though it is in the form of a peahen. This large silver bird, with three chicks at her feet, stands on the silver base which was formerly worn by the company's barge master, and around it are the engraved words "The Gift of Mary, wife daughter of Richard Robinson, and wife to Thomas Smith and James Peacock, Skinners, 1642." The lady's two husbands were both masters of the company.

Norwegian Whalers.

The Norwegians have whaling establishments in Iceland, Scotland, South America, Japan and elsewhere.

WITH THE AFTERNOON TEA.

Appetizing Novelties That Will Be Appreciated.

Two kinds of confection, one plain and one sweet, are sufficient for the late afternoon tea, and only one is served by the majority of people on every-day occasions. These should be neatly placed on a compote or cake basket with a mat beneath of lace paper or the ordinary dolly. We give a number of new cakes, sandwiches and fancy crackers, with a few words of description, which are appetizing novelties for tea:

Tea Cakes—Thin wafers, in irregular shapes flavored with vanilla or chocolate.

Cambray Bis—Half-moon macaroons, an inch wide, with chopped nuts.

Fan Jumbles—Fancy jumbles in the shape of an open fan.

Swiss Jumbles—Round jumbles, with meringue tops.

Importes—High-glazed oval pastries, pierced in waffle or lattice fashion.

Cassava Cakes—Large, round, waxy wafers slightly flavored with cheese.

Buttered Triscuit—Flat, shredded wheat crackers. Before serving butter thickly and bake in oven; serve as hot as possible.

French Cheese Sandwiches—Sliced brown bread with jam or marmelade, with a layer of fresh cream cheese on top.

French Sweet Sandwiches—Thin strips of puff paste, spread with whipped cream and a layer of jam.

Potato Scones.

These may be made with left-over potatoes, but they are much nicer prepared with fresh-boiled potatoes. Put the potatoes, smooth mashed, onto a baking board, and lightly work in as much flour as the potatoes will take. It should feel firm, and stick well together. Form into little rounds, pat lightly with the hand, roll out thin, lay them on a hot griddle, prick all over with a fork, and let them bake for a few minutes. Turn them over, and bake for two minutes on the other side. Roll up in a clean cloth until wanted. They are good, either hot or cold, with butter. They will not keep more than one day.

Mending China.

China may be mended as firmly as a rock in the following manner: Two persons will be needed for the work, however, for the manipulation must be done rapidly. The necessary materials are a little unsalted lime, pulverized, the slightly beaten white of an egg, and a small hair brush, such as is used for gum. Put the white of the egg on the broken edges of both pieces to be joined, and immediately dust one edge with the powdered lime, put the two edges accurately and firmly together, hold in place for a minute or two, and then lay aside to dry.

Regarding Linoleum.

To keep linoleum in good order and to preserve it, let it be washed very seldom. If it gets dirty and needs to be washed it should be done with a flannel dipped in warm soapy water, then thoroughly dried, for if any water is left on it will percolate through the linoleum and make it rotten on the under side. It should be well polished with flannel dipped in beeswax and turpentine, or a little plain linseed oil, then polished with a cloth. Rubbing with a cloth dipped in milk keeps the surface clean and in good condition, and prevents it wearing.

Baking Dishes.

Baking dishes that have been discolored by being too long in the oven may be scoured with a piece of flannel that has been dipped in carbonate of soda, whiting, salt, or even fine ashes.

Salt will also prove effectual in removing the stains from china cups, egg stains from silver spoons or bone spoons, and will clean the bone handles of knives or brushes. Salt and vinegar will quickly remove stains from brass, but whiting must be used to give the finishing polish.

White Enamel Ware.

White enameled kitchen utensils often become to all appearances hopelessly ruined when food has burned them. Place a mixture of strong soap powder and boiling water in such kettles, let them stand two or three days on the back of the stove without changing the water, then pour off the water and rub the inside with a soft cloth. All blackness and stain will disappear. Be careful not to scratch or scrape the kettle before soaking in this way, as the enamel will crack.

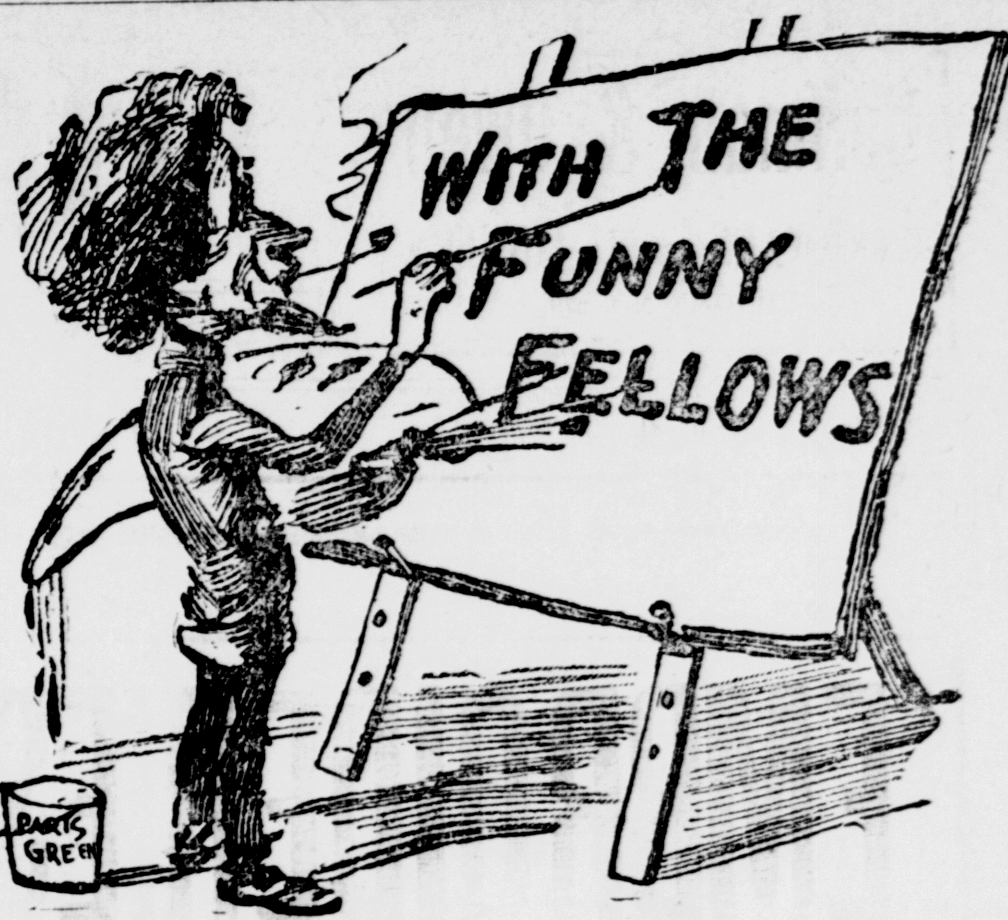
To Keep Rugs Flat.

Rugs which curl up at the edges or at the sides should be lined throughout. Cut out a piece of rough sail-cloth an inch larger than the rug. Turn in the edges all round and stitch them down flat with stout linen thread, making fair-sized stitches on the under surface, and those as small as possible on the right side. A little shot, enclosed in small flat bags and fastened into the four corners before sewing down the lining, will also aid in keeping the rug flat.

Rusty Fire Irons.

Rusty irons should be well rubbed with sweet oil, left for 24 hours, and then scoured with unsalted lime; if the stains are very deep the lime may be laid on as a paste, and left for a day or two. It must be kept in mind that if the rust has thoroughly eaten into the steel nothing will remove it.

Prevention in this case is better than cure, and if fire irons, tops of fenders, etc., are rubbed every day with a piece of tissue paper, rust will not make its appearance.



ADVICE FOR MARRIED PEOPLE.

To Keep a Husband.

First, don't resent absent-mindedness.

Because he forgets to kiss you is no sign he no longer loves you.

Feed him well, and be gentle when he comes home fagged out.

If he returns much harassed don't begin operations by testy contradictions.—Philadelphia Record.

To Keep a Wife.

Let her carry the pocket book.

Never complain when she asks you to hook her waist.

Tell her at least once every day that she looks younger than ever.

Make her believe you want to fight every time another man looks at her.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Locked Like It.

Mrs. Bacon—Did little Willie have a good time at the party?

Mrs. Egbert—He couldn't tell us when he got home, but the doctor we called in said he thought he must have had.—Yonkers Statesman.

THE INFLUENZA AGAIN.



Tramp—Spare a copper, lady, for a pore man won't taste a bit of food for a week.

Lady—Dear, dear! Poor man! (Appeal meets with a generous response.)

Tramp—Much obliged, mum. (With a fit of candor): "Fact is, mum, I've bin laid up with the influenza, which 'as deprived me of my taste!" (Exits hastily).—The London.

The Negligible Half.

"I am afraid he can't come," said Adam to his neighbor from the land of Nod, who was inviting them to an evening function. "You see, I haven't any dress-suit—in fact, we haven't any clothes at all, hardly."

"Well," suggested the neighbor, "nobody is going to notice how a man is dressed so long as his wife is in fashion. Come along."—Judge.

Its Maiden Name.

"Look here!" demanded the drummer who had just descended from the train at Lobstockville. "What is that hotel you are calling? I never heard of it before?"

"Why, boss," replied the colored porter, "dis am de new name for de old house—Hotel Hungerford, nee Occidental, yo' know, sah."—Puck.

Improving Some.

"I'd like to know," demanded the irate passenger, "why you don't give better service on this line? Here I am 40 minutes late this morning!"

"We are giving better service," retorted the station master. "Last month this train was always 50 minutes late."

Long Enough.

She—What on earth kept you so long in there?

He—I was telling a man something. "You were long enough to tell him all you knew!"

"I wasn't over ten minutes."

"No, of course, you were not!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Muggins Is Located.

Miffkins—They say Muggins, the attorney, is a corporation tool.

Biffkins—Then he must be one of those oil well augurs.

Biffkins—Why do you think so?

Biffkins—Because he's the biggest kind of a bore.—Chicago Daily News.

Well Named.

Redd—He calls his new motor boat "Gibraltar."

Greene—It's well named; there is considerable rock to it.—Yonkers Statesman.

Method in His Madness.

Crawford—How in the world can you pay social visits to your janitor? Crabshaw—It makes me feel so good to see his wife boss him.—Puck.

THE SAME OLD RAIMENT.



Ella—A leopard can't change his spots.

Arthur—Not even when the styles change?—Chicago Daily News.

The Profitable Slot Machine.

"I have often wondered," remarked Greenleigh, dropping a penny in the slot, "where the profit on these machines—"

Here he grasped the handle.

"Where the profit on these machines—"

Here he shook the machine.

"I have often wondered, I say, where the profit—"

Here he shook the machine again.

"Where the profit comes in. Hang the thing! It seems to be clogged this time. Nothing happens!"

"Well," said Brooks, "do you begin to see where the profit comes in?"

What It Indicates.

The Woman—When a man goes to church it usually indicates a change of heart.

The Man—When a woman goes to church it usually indicates a new bonnet.—Chicago Daily News.

GOOD SUGGESTION.



Stranger in Philadelphia—Drive me to where there is some life.

Cabby—There's a train every hour to New York, sir!—Chicago Journal.

A Lasting Impression.

"Well, Bertha, I hear you met Mr. Cooke yesterday. Did you like him?"

"Do you know, dear, he made an impression upon me that nothing will obliterate."

"Really! How—what did he say?"

"It wasn't what he said, it is what he did. He split a cup of tea over my new white silk dress!"

Changeable.

Bill—You say she's very popular with the men?

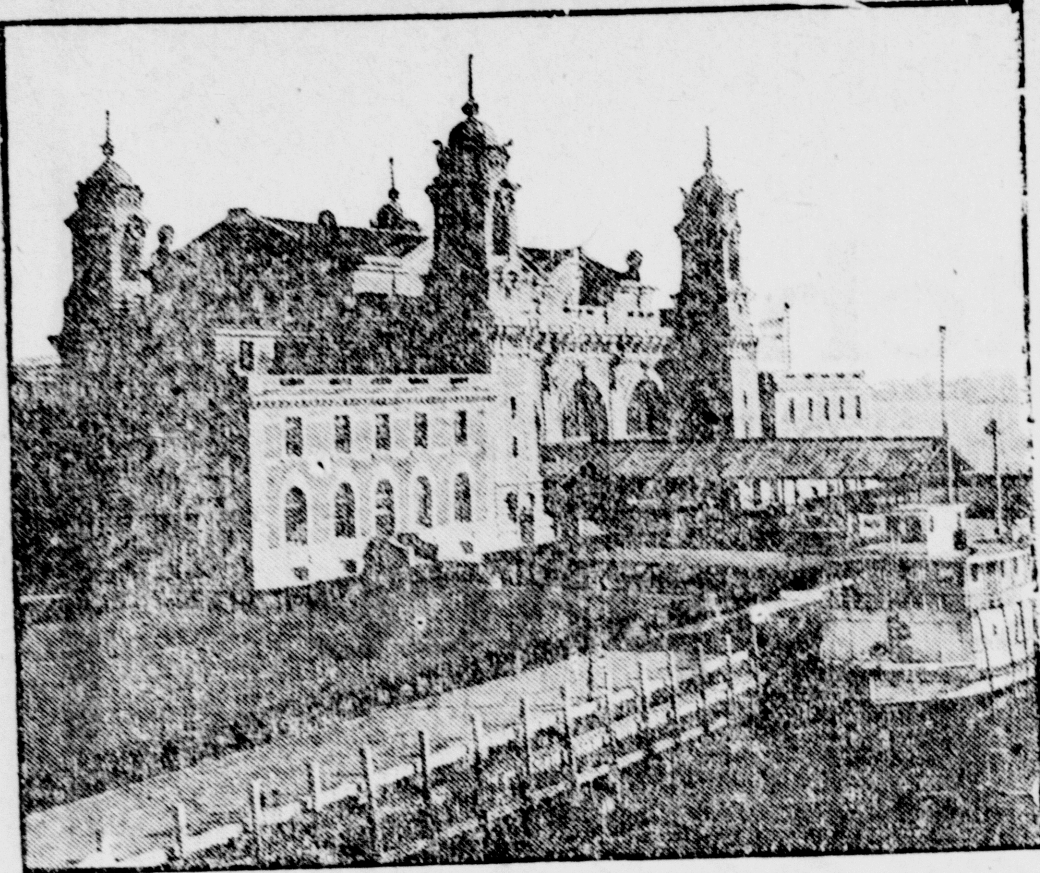
Jill—Oh, yes; because she's never the same. One day she's a blonde, and the next a brunette!—Yonkers Statesman.

More Pin Money.

Young Wife—And do you really and truly love me, darling?

Young Husband (reaching for his pocketbook)—Certainly, my dear. How much do you want?—Chicago Daily News.

Where the Emigrant Lands



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Magnificent building at Ellis Island through which all aliens must pass and where they must undergo a rigid and thorough inspection and examination as to their qualifications before they are allowed to land in the United States.

PROFITABLE TO FARMERS.

BENEFIT GREATLY BY WORK OF AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Ahead \$231,000,000 Each Year, According to Estimate—Bureau of Animal Industry First—Showing Hens Their Duty Valuable.

Washington.—The people profit \$231,000,000 annually by the work of the agricultural department, according to the estimates of the bureau officials made public in the report of the committee on expenditures in the agricultural department, which has spent the entire session investigating the department.

The bureau of animal industry leads the list with an annual valuation of \$50,000,000, of which \$100,000 is because of the experiments making hens lay more profitably.

Chief Willis J. Moore, of the weather bureau, says his bureau annually benefits the people \$30,000,000.

40,000 HORSES EATEN IN A YEAR.

Consumption Increases Fast in Paris and Is Aided by Doctors.

Paris.—According to official statistics, 40,000 horses were eaten in Paris last year. This represents about 11,000,000 kilograms of horseflesh, as compared with the earlier figures of 1899, when a total of only 5,000,000 was eaten. This branch of the butcher business in Paris seems to be growing rapidly in favor, so that the horse butcher is assuming the position of quite a respectable competitor with the beef butcher.

Horse butchers' signs, with a gilded horsehead above the door, are numerous in certain quarters of the city, and horse butchers are rapidly preempting spaces in the market halls. This is particularly the case in well-to-do sections, and the fact almost prompts the suggestion that the doctors are in league with the horse butchers.

Doctors are more and more recommending for certain patients who are in need of building up their shattered systems a bit of horseflesh, and for persons whose constitutions are thoroughly run down with weakened stomachs they prescribe the juice of horseflesh, prepared under certain simple conditions, instead of the fresh meat itself.

At the markets during the early morning hours each day men and women stand in line waiting their turn to be served by the horse butcher. They call for a nice steak or fillet, and, being well versed on the matter of quality, are very particular in their selections. Some butchers make a specialty of mule meat, which contains more fatty matter than horse meat.

No Cemetery for Cats.

Boston.—The bill for the incorporation of a cemetery for the burial of pet cats, which had been advanced to the third reading stage in the legislature, was itself consigned to the graveyard when Representative Mock of Boston said:

"I thought this measure was a joke, but I really begin to believe that some men are taking it seriously. First, we have the burial ground for these pets. Then, of course, why not funerals? Then the decoration of the graves of these pets, for the decoration of graves is entirely proper. And who knows but one of the ministers of this house might not be called on to officiate at the burial services?"

The house reversed its previous action and killed the bill, 52 to 71.

England's Navy Cheapest.

London.—Great Britain has the cheapest navy in the world, according to the report of Admiralty Secretary Robertson. It costs \$445 a ton. Russia's cost \$465 a ton. In ten years 1,132,205 tons have been added to the navy, while Germany and France together only added 1,108,280 tons. Two years hence Great Britain will have completed six new battle-ships, including three of the Dreadnought class and three armored cruisers of the Invincible class, while neither France nor Germany will have a single ship of those types completed.

survey appropriation was left out of the agricultural bill for the reason that the money asked was to be expended in "mapping districts in the United States which would make ideal homes for frogs."

The bureau of entomology thinks it saves the people \$22,000,000 a year, of which \$5,000,000 is because it was instrumental in the "introduction of the Australian lady-bird beetle."

The bureau of public roads is the most modest of all and only asserts it benefits the people \$873,000 a year.

The report severely criticizes Chief Moore, of the weather bureau, for his expenditures on "Mount Weather," the research institution which he established in the Blue Ridge mountains at a cost of \$161,000, for which Comptroller Tracewell says under existing law there is no authority.

Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, is criticised for exceeding his authority in expending the appropriation for the new department of agriculture building. Instead of completing a structure for the entire department he spent the money in building a single wing.

DEAF WILL ENJOY MUSIC.

French Doctor Declared to Have Wonderful Invention.

Paris.—An extraordinary invention appears to have been made by a French doctor, M. Dupont, according to a communication read to the Academy of Science by M. D'Arsonval. Dr. Dupont intended to invent a process by which the sensation of music could be conveyed to deaf mutes.

He devised an apparatus by which the number of vibrations in each musical note is conveyed through electric wires with alternating currents. The apparatus is attached to a microphone and musical sounds are transmitted to the body with extraordinary distinctness.

The feeling produced is said to be more delightful than when the notes are heard and not only deaf mutes but persons with good hearing declare that the sensation is positively delicious.

A gay waltz produces unwonted hilarity and every nerve and muscle in the body seems to dance from the efforts of what might be appropriately described as a musical tickling machine.

One may look forward, therefore, to the time when one can feel as well as hear Mozart's operas or Beethoven's symphonies.

THE SNOW FIGHTERS.

The word has come from the top of the range, where the pass is a mist of white. That our foe is there in his rock walled lair, and we try out our strength tonight.

The drifts lie thick 'twixt the cannon's sides, with the rails far down below. And the call is come through for the rotary crew to come up and buck the snow.

Our foe is white, but with youthful strength, and he fights through the night and day. And he never will quit to light pipe or spit, but he's there at his guns to stay.

And he clutches the shining snapping rails in a smothering, long embrace. And he laughs in his glee, though all silently, at the men who would storm his place.

But the snowplow roars like a maddened bull, as it charges the drifts, miles long.

And its whirling blades lay bare the grades, and its song is the song of the strong.

And soon, from the crest of the continent, where the granite crags rise sheer.

The cheer is flashed, when the foes have clashed, that the highway of steel is clear.

—Denver Republican.

"ALL ENGINEERS GET SCARED"

Not Often, but Their Nerve Deserts Them Sometimes.

"Does an engineer ever lose his nerve? Is he ever afraid to take his train out on the run?"

These questions were asked of an "old-timer," a grizzled veteran who has pulled limited trains for the past ten years. He never had a wreck and, to use his expression, he "never even threw a shoe."

"But," he says, "I've given the nails holdin' them shoes some awful wrenches."

He smiled when the questions were asked.

"You can't get one engineer in a thousand to admit he is ever scared," he said. "But, just the same, they do get scared, and they don't know why. A man grows accustomed to pulling these eight-wheelers a mile a minute, doing it week in and week out. Then comes a time when something seems to say: 'Stay away out on that run tonight. Stay away.'"

"And there you are. You'll shake your shoulders and say 'Bah! why not? I'm not afraid!' Just the same you watch every curve, every switch light, every crossing, and your heart jumps when your engine strikes a low joint. Sometimes the feeling stays with you for a week, and passes away. You don't know why, but all of a sudden it's gone. Then you'll whistle a tune when you climb into the cab and be as happy as a schoolboy. The road will seem smoother and your big machine working better. Maybe it's just a little falling in your nerve."

"Some folks would say it was a presentiment that something would happen. Frequently trouble does come when you have these presentiments. And this fact, I presume, tends to make you more uneasy. One of the gamest men that ever pulled an engine was Lou Ward, who had the Frisco train to Fort Scott. He left every night at 2:10 o'clock with nothing but his engine, mail car and coach. He pulled that 'little rabbit train' sometimes 75 miles an hour."

"Lou," I said to him one night, "that train will get you some of these times."

"Yes, I guess so," he said. "That's a good little 'girl' I'm pullin', though, and she'll stick to the rails as long as any of 'em."

"Six months afterward his engine turned over at Lenexa. The steam and boiling water poured over him. They carried Lou to the hospital in Springfield. In a few weeks he was dead. His engine 'got him.'"

"Ward felt that some day his 'little girl' would be a wreck. And a broken rail caused it."

Railroad Progress.

Expenditures of steam railroads for new rolling stock during the present year far surpass all previous records, according to returns collected by the Railway Gazette from car and locomotive-building concerns in the United States and Canada. Freight cars to the number of 165,455 were turned out; passenger cars, 2,551, or a total of 168,006, comparing with only 62,956 last year and 164,547 in 1902, which held the previous high record. Nor do these figures take into account the number of cars built by railroads in their own shops, which have been unusually active this year. The number of locomotives constructed is 5,491, compared with 3,441 last year, 5,152 in 1903, the most active year up to the present, and only 695 in the hard-times year of 1894. At an average cost of \$1,000 per freight car, \$7,000 per passenger car and \$14,000 per locomotive, the aggregate expenditure of steam railroads on this account alone for a single year is \$260,186,000. We have here a partial explanation of the boom in the iron and steel industries.

Crows Stopped a Train.

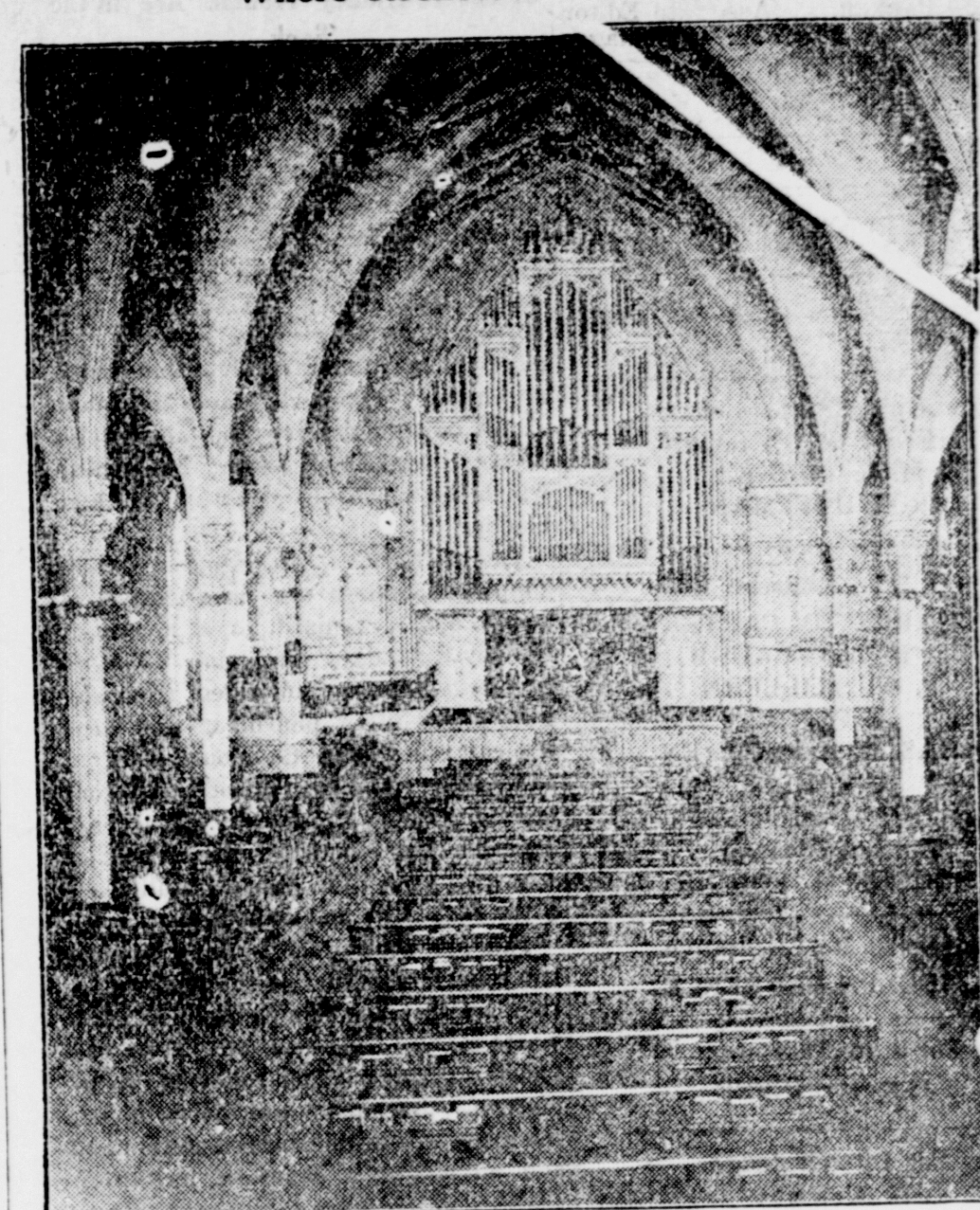
A train was brought to a stand near Liverdon, in France, by the presence on the line of thousands of crows engaged in picking up the refuse thrown out of the restaurant car of the Strasbourg express.

The birds were crushed in such numbers that the engine wheels skidded and the train was temporarily stopped.

Important Bridge Completed.

The bridge on the Cape to Cairo railway, over the Kafue river, 266 miles north of the Victoria Falls, has been completed, and the other day the first train passed over it.

Where Rockefeller Worships.



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Interior of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church in New York City. This is the church attended by John D. Rockefeller, when he is in the city, and it is in these pews that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has his Bible class every Sunday. Rev. C. F. Aked, one of England's most famous preachers, has accepted a call to this church.

A PRISONER 50 YEARS.

JOHN WARREN'S FRIENDS WILL CELEBRATE IT DULY.

He Has Been in Wethersfield, Conn., Jail Half a Century and Is Florist of the Institution—Twice Tried to Get Away.

Hartford, Conn.—A golden anniversary to celebrate 50 years of incarceration is being planned for the first time in the history of the state prison at Wethersfield, and is said to be the only celebration of the kind ever known in the country. John Warren, the prison florist, will celebrate his fiftieth anniversary as an inmate of the prison in December next.

Warren has just passed his seventieth birthday. Twice since he was taken prisoner for the murder of his girl wife he has made a dash for liberty, 20 years apart, and both times he failed. For ten years he has been the model prisoner of the institution and since he has had charge of the grounds and greenhouses of the prison he has never attempted to break jail.

Warren was the son of a Yankee farmer, Ziba Warren of Mansfield, and when a lad in his teens married Julia E. Towne of Belchertown, Mass., who had just passed her fifteenth birthday. Later he held her head under two feet of water until she drowned. There was another woman in the case.

While awaiting trial in the Tolland jail he escaped and an investigation resulted in the discharge of the jailer.

Leads as a Paper Maker.

This Country the Greatest Producer, with Germany Following.

Washington.—Consul William C. Telchmann of Elberstadt advises that the Revue Scientifique recently discussed the consumption of paper by the principal nations of the world as reflecting modern progress of civilization because of its extensive use for printing purposes. It places the United States in the front rank as the greatest paper-producing country of the world, with an annual output of 639,734 tons (avoirdupois). Germany follows with a production of 393,683 tons; England, 246,951; France, 196,942; Austria, 147,796; Italy, 123,026.

One American corporation is declared to be the greatest paper manufacturing enterprise in the world, possessing 31 factories, with 96 continuously running machines, the company using almost as many machines as are operated in Italy and the Netherlands together, and its annual production exceeds that of all the paper factories in Austria-Hungary and almost equals that of the British ones. Its capital amounts to more than \$110,000,000.

While America leads in production, Germany has become the largest exporter of this article, with 51,000 tons annually, England following with 49,210, the United States 16,880 and France 13,000. The United States' export goes principally to South America, but also to Canada and Australia. Notwithstanding its large production, England remains a good buyer, having imported 147,706 tons last year.

Regarding the direct consumption of paper, it is an interesting fact that the United States leads with an annual figure of 38.6 pounds per capita, England coming next with 34.3; Germany, 29.98; France, 20.5; Austria, 19; Italy, 15.4; Serbia showing the lowest European figure, 1.1; India shows only 0.22 and China 1.4 per capita. Nearly all of the paper manufactured in the

er. For three months he lived in a hole dug under his father's barn. A threat to burn him out made him surrender. For 30 years he was a model prisoner. One night in August, 1886, he was missing at rollcall. Three days later a loose plank in the floor of one of the new shops pointed the way of escape of Warren. A passage was found under the floor and this led to an old airshaft, but no trace of the missing prisoner was to be seen.

As the investigating party were about to retrace their steps one of the number stepped back, remarking:

"Hold the lantern away and I'll empty my six shooter into the shaft."

"Hold on, don't shoot. I'll come out," said a weak voice in the dark hole. For three days Warren had lived in that shaft without water and with only the little food that he had stored in his pocket before his flight.

For the last few years Warren has developed a great love for his flowers. He knows all his plants and flowers by name and greedily reads all the books on botany that the state prison library affords. Occasionally he contributes a little article to the Monthly Record of the prison, in which he tells the other prisoners about his pet flowers. His conduct as a model prisoner entitles him to numerous privileges.

Some months ago Warren hoped to get out on reaching his seventieth birthday, but his petition to the board of pardons was refused and he settled down again, prepared to spend his last days in the only home he has known for the last half a century.

Twenty per cent. is absorbed in the trades and industries. Almost an equal proportion is applied for official and school purposes. The remaining ten per cent. serves the demand for private use.

GROWS RICH AND AIDS WAIFS.

Man, Once a Foundling, Devotes Fortune to Assist Others.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Eugene Purdy, who was sent west in 1885 by the Children's Aid society of New York, one of a carload of waifs, and was adopted when eight or ten years old by Henry Berning, a farmer of Chillicothe, Mo., returned from the Klondike last October with \$150,000, which he made in six years in gold mining.

He has now learned from the Children's Aid society that he had two brothers older than himself who were sent out for adoption by the society before he left the institution. He has also heard of a sister who once lived at Binghamton, N. Y., but he has been unable to get any trace of her.

"The first thing I want to do," Purdy says, "is to find my brothers and sister. After that I intend to devote some time to an investigation of what becomes of thousands of foundlings sent from New York to western cities. The society tries to keep in communication with them or with the people who take them, but communication ceases after a few years and nobody knows what becomes of them. I know from investigation I have already made that many of these unfortunate children go to the bad."

Whipping Post Again in Use.

Baltimore.—The whipping post is to be revived in Maryland after having been in disuse for 20 years. Sadler Brooks, colored, was sentenced to receive nine lashes in addition to a jail sentence of two months for brutally beating his wife.

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F. W. SKILLERN
E. P. HILL
CHAS. E. McPHERREN
R. SARLLS

For State Senator
REUBEN M. RODDIE

For State Representative.
RANDOLPH LAURENCE.

For State Treasurer
J. A. MENEFEE

For District Judge
A. T. WEST

For Circuit Judge
EUGENE E. WHITE

For Clerk of Supreme Court
E. C. PATTON

For County Judge
J. P. WOOD
A. M. CROXTON
JOEL TERRELL

For County Attorney
ROBT WIMBISH
B. C. KING

For Sheriff
ROBERT NESTER
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL
JAMES D. GAAR
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS
W. S. (SAM) KERR
H. WOODARD
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk
W. T. COX

For County Treasurer
J. C. CATES
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J. K. SCROGGIN

For Register of Deeds
A. C. BRAY
GARY KITCHENS
C. C. HARGIS
A. L. MILES.

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction
BASCOM T. LAWSON

For County Commissioner
R. L. (BOB) WALKER
JOHN B. STEWART
JOHN D. RINARD

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
W. H. NETTLES
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct
CHARLES A. THOMAS
SID RIEDEL

CITY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

(Election Tuesday, April 2)

For Mayor
C. O. BARTON

For Alderman, 1st Ward
J. T. CONN
M. D. TIMBERLAKE.

For Alderman, 2nd Ward
T. J. CHAMBLESS
W. H. MARKHAM.

For Alderman, 3rd Ward
A. J. DEATON
J. T. SUTTON.

For Alderman, 4th Ward:
R. T. KERR
W. C. LEE.

For City Treasurer
S. W. HILL

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Recorder, Ass'r and Collector
JESSE WARREN

For City Marshal
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For Street Commissioner of Ada
E. S. COLLINS

THE FIRST SIGNS

Of Severe Kidney Trouble Are in the Back.

Take care of backache. A great many cases of kidney complaint are reported about here, also bladder trouble and rheumatism.

An authority once stated that pain in the back, loins, or region of the kidneys is the danger signal nature hangs out to notify the sufferer that there is something wrong with the kidneys which should receive immediate attention. Only vegetable treatment should be administered and absolutely no strong alcoholic patent medicines, which are harmful to the kidneys and bladder.

The following prescription, while simple, harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract of Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This preparation is said to restore the natural function of the kidneys, so they will sift and strain the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, purifying it and relieving rheumatism. Backache will be relieved, the urine will be neutralized and cleared and no longer a cause of irritation, thereby overcoming such symptoms as weak bladder, painful, frequent and other urinary difficulties.

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of the Indian Territory.

In the matter of the Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that I, James E. Webb, Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, of Francis, Indian Territory, a bankrupt in accordance with the order of the referee and subject to his confirmation, will sell the property of said bankrupt, consisting of a stock of dry goods, shoes, hardware and groceries, and the fixtures in connection therewith, which invoice \$8,015.91, at public auction on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1907, at 2 p. m., at the store house of the Frisco Mercantile Company, in Francis, Indian Territory, to the highest bidder for cash in hand. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The invoice of said goods and fixtures can be seen at my office in Ada, Indian Territory. Witness my hand this 25th day of March, 1907.

JAMES E. WEBB,
Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt.

Boy Killed Near Atoka

Denison, Texas, March 26.—Clayton Crowley, a 12-year-old boy, was killed Sunday near Atoka on the Coalgate branch by a Katy freight train. The boy's head and both feet were cut off. It is supposed that he was trying to climb on the train and fell beneath the cars, as the engineer did not see him.

Great Fissure Afire

Sapulpa, I. T., March 26.—Half a mile from a gas well, three miles south-east of here, the earth opened today and gas escaped through a fissure half a mile long. It later caught fire and is burning tonight.

And There Was Light.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night four new arc lights were ordered installed: one each at the intersections of the M. K. & T. with Main and 9th streets; the other two to illuminate dark spots in the 4th ward.

Democrats at Stonewall

There was a big gathering of Democrats in Stonewall Monday night. D. H. Linebaugh and C. D. Carter, candidates for Congress, were the principal speakers. A number of Pontotoc county candidates were also on hand. There was a fine crowd and an abundance of enthusiasm.

Early Closing for Revival

On account of the Baptist revival now in progress 32 business houses today readily signed a circulated agreement to close doors, beginning this evening, at 7 p. m. This number practically includes all downtown houses except the drug stores and places of amusement.

McPherren Coming

Friends of Chas. E. McPherren, of Caddo, candidate for Congress, have been notified by him that he will address the voters of Ada Wednesday night. Ada people should make their arrangements to hear him. Mr. McPherren is an orator of repute and hearers may expect to be edified.

The Martins to Leave.

About the middle of April Dr. S. J. Martin intends moving back to his old Kentucky home, Bowling Green. Ada will be loath to lose the doctor and his estimable wife, for in many ways the family have endeared themselves in the hearts of our people. Miss Mollie Jernigan will probably remain in Ada till later in the summer.

The Event of the Season

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Thursday, March 28th

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Two souls with but a single thought.
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Beautiful, poetic and sensational.
A play that appeals to all classes.

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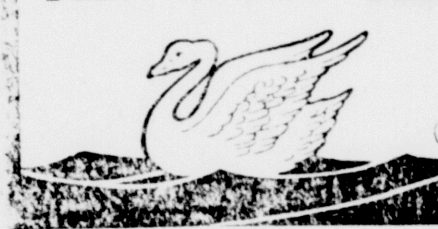
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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will steadily destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists. Price 75c, per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Watch This Space To-morrow Evening!

INDIAN OF MEXICO DOCILE

Essentially a Man of Peace, He Wants to Be Let Alone.

The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Bountiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he asks is to be let alone. His politeness and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and, holding the child's face between both his hands, deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And in the same unconscious and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day.

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold.

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald.

Her Reason.

"And does your mother kiss you every day when you come home from school?" "Yes, sir." "She must be very fond of you." "No; she wants to see if I've been smoking cigarettes."

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12th and Broadway. R. O. WHEELER, Manager.

OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

Ada National Bank

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Ada, Ind. Ter

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LOCAL NEWS

There are many tonics in the land As by the papers you can see, But none of them can equal Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

G. M. Ramsey.

Friends of Capt. Sam Hargis are glad to see him again on the street after a several weeks' confinement with pneumonia. The Captain fought the disease as valiantly as he did the Yankees, and fortunately with better luck.

Mrs. W. M. P. Rippey, who has been with her son, Rev. T. L. Rippey, while his wife was away in Tennessee, left today for her home at Okmulgee.

W. M. Gaddis is here from Roff today.

V. C. Pally, A. A. Paust and J. E. Garrett, M. K. & T. bridge men, and W. J. Farris of Stratford, are registered today at the Dorland.

The secret of fashionable society. I asked the question of a noted beauty specialist. "In order to be round, rosy, plump, very pretty and stylish" take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. G. M. Ramsey.

W. C. Castleberry brought to the News office this morning some of the finest strawberries the writer has seen this season. He says the berry crop is going to be exceptionally good, as the berries are far advanced for this early date. Mr. Castleberry has some very beautiful roses and other flowers, and promised to bring this office a supply soon.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine. She is round, plump and handsome; in fact, she is young again. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

E. L. Steed left last afternoon on a trip to Kansas City.

G. Cleve Harris, now employed at Madill, visited home folks from Saturday till Tuesday. Henceforth he will keep in touch with his old home through The Evening News.

Mrs. Robt. Gambill, of Sasakwa, is visiting relatives in the city.

O. F. Meyers, of the treasurer's department, Pioneer Telephone Co., Oklahoma City, was here today on company business.

When you want the best meal in the city come to the

English Kitchen

We serve the best dinner in the city. Short Orders at all hours. Our kitchen always open for your inspection—you can watch your order cooked, and know that what you get is what you order. Don't forget the place—THE ENGLISH KITCHEN.

A traveling orchestra of rather urbane looking negroes from Coalgate is doing the town today. Young men had them out serenading last night.

M. Griffin O'Neil, the city's employed engineer in the waterworks construction, arrived from Dallas today to spend two or three days inspecting the progress of the work.

Just received full line of latest spring styles of photographic goods. Don't fail to see them. Stall's Studio, Henley & Biles building. 3-2td-1tw

Mrs. Armstrong left today for a visit with friends at Greenville, Texas.

E. S. Ratliff was in Stonewall today. J. C. Cates returned to Stonewall today after interviewing a number of the sovereign voters.

Judge Hilton went down to capture Stonewall today.

D. W. Swaffar and family this morning returned to Stonewall.

The English Kitchen is having a spring renovation at the front and throughout the interior.

W. H. L. Campbell and J. P. Crawford were also among the Ada politicians who went to Tulsa last night.

J. D. Looper received a letter from his brother, G. S. Looper, in the show business in Australia and known as "Bioncho George," which said he expected soon to sell out to start for America. It took the letter a month to get here.

Pete Rollow got back from Shawnee this morning.

May Stewart.

In "Ingomar" at the opera house Thursday night, March 28th, will undoubtedly be an event that will attract a large fashionable house. In speaking of Miss Stewart's performance of "Ingomar" in Dallas, Texas, the Beau Monde of that place says: "The editor has seen several famous Parthenias" but none more charming than Miss Stewart makes. She looks as well as acts the part. Charming naivete sweet winsomeness and fine courage of the character. She portrays with a naturalness that is delightful. She wears her Greek gowns with exceeding grace."

Attempted Burglary

Last Saturday night when C. C. Price returned from the scene where Will Hayes was crushed by the train he found some unknown party trying to effect entrance into his home. The would-be burglar was frightened away and beat a very hasty retreat. Mr. Price thinks he knows who it was.

IT MEANS FURMAN FOR SENATOR

Will Be Blanket Primary; Plurality of People's Votes to Control.

Special to The News.

Tulsa, I. T., March 26, 4 p. m.—At the meeting here today of the State Democratic Central Committee at least 200 visiting democrats are in attendance and much enthusiasm prevails.

Naturally candidates and their lieutenants are numerous. It is said the Oklahoma politicians are in control of the committee.

It will be a blanket primary for nominations of all officers including U. S. Senators. This is considered a movement in the interest of Cruce for governor. Robt. L. Williams of Durant authorized announcement of himself for the supreme bench. It appears certain Haskell will run for governor.

Judge Furman received a great ovation. The blanket primary now a certainty, his election is now conceded by all but his political foes.

A big banquet, tendered by Tulsa, is in store for the guests tonight.

GAVE ROBBERS HORSELAUGH

Engineer Pulled Wide the Throttle and Passed Them UP.

Tulsa, I. T., March 26. "Don't stop at Keifer; robbers preparing for a hold-up," read a message which the operator handed the conductor of a Frisco east-bound passenger at Mounds last night. Heeding the warning the conductor gave the engineer notice to open the throttle wide when Keifer was sighted and the train dashed through there at the rate of a mile a minute.

The robbers were seen about a half mile east of the station. Many of the passengers had been informed of what was expected, secreted their valuables and crouched under the seats. The would-be train robbers, after the train had passed, returned, held up a gamblinghouse in Keifer and fled.

Strayed.

One light bay blazed-faced mare about 8 years old, about 13 hands high, brand J T bar on left shoulder, shod all around. \$5.00 reward. Please notify J. H. Bullock, box 173, Ada, I. T. 3-2td-1tw

Improper action of the kidneys causes backache, lumbago, rheumatism. "Pineules" is a kidney remedy that will relieve these diseases. Pleasant to take and guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. "Relief in every dose." Sold by G. M. Ramsey's drug store. j1

Would Enjoin Election Board.

Guthrie, Okla., March 26.—Horace Speed, former United States district attorney, filed suit in the district court here last night, for Joseph J. Adams, a citizen tax payer of Greer county, asking an injunction restraining the supreme election board, as created by the constitutional convention from taking any action whatever toward holding the election on August 6 for submitting the constitution to the people; from appointing any election officers; from furnishing books, supplies and papers for the election, and from doing any of the things placed in their authority by the convention.

The election board is held illegal because it takes from the rightful election board under the Oklahoma election law which is extended over Indian Territory by the enabling act, the duties which belong to the governor and secretary of Oklahoma as constituting such board.

The county election boards, as to be named by the supreme election board are held illegal, because taking from the county clerk and county commissioners the duties belonging to them as election commissioners.

The election inspectors named by the supreme election board are held illegal because they usurp the duties belonging under the laws to township trustees.

It is set forth, too, that the legislative apportionment, made by the convention, is wrong and illegal, because some districts are made for a population of five hundred to six hundred voters, while others have as high as three thousand voters within them, thus showing the disfranchisement practically of many voters.

The action of the convention is held in violation of the enabling act in dividing those counties in Oklahoma that are mentioned by names as constituting certain congressional districts. It is finally held that the division of Greer county in particular was without legislative authority and will result to the great and lasting damage of the county and to the irreparable injury of the county and the tax payers thereof, lessening the valuation of property within the county.

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General Practice and Surgery. Special attention to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses fitted with ophthalmoscope and trial lenses. X-Ray treatment and static electricity. Office in Duncan Block. Phones 161-240.

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Office Hours: 8 to 12; 1 to 5:30

DAWES COMMISSION CAR

Coming Wednesday to Deliver Patents to Indians.

To the southbound M. K. & T. today was attached the special combination car bearing the large volume of Chickasaw and Choctaw land patents yet to be delivered.

The car will stop at Stonewall and remain 24 hours. About noon Wednesday it will return to Ada and remain here till Thursday night.

The employees in charge stated to The News reporter that the deeds are being delivered fast.

Railroad Time Table



GOING SOUTH:

Meteor 8:07 am
Sherman Express 10:28 am
Texas Passenger 7:23 pm

GOING NORTH:

Meteor 5:02 pm
St. L. & K. C. Express 11:50 pm
Eastern Express 9:40 am



GOING SOUTH:

Passenger 11:10 am
Local 1:55 pm

GOING NORTH:

Passenger 3:55 pm
Local 12:15 pm

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL R. R.

GOING EAST:

Passenger 3:30 pm

GOING WEST:

Passenger 11:05 am

Francis Man in the Toils

Denver, March 26.—H. H. White, a banker of Francis, I. T., has been brought to Denver from Silverton, Col., and placed in the county jail by Deputy United States Marshal Clark to await his return to the territory on the charge of embezzling ten shares of stock of the Francis Bank. The stock was in the name of Macey Noble, it is said. An officer from Ardmore, I. T., is on his way here.

Off to Tulsa.

W. H. Ebey, T. D. McKeown, Reuben M. Roddie and Otis B. Weaver left last night for Tulsa to attend the big Democratic meeting today, whereat it will probably be decided what sort of a state primary we shall have.

HAMMOCKS

Mean solid comfort during the coming hot weather

We have a nice assortment of exceptionally good values in hammocks, ranging in price from \$1 to \$3.50. Allow us to show you

MASON DRUG CO.

The Progressive Pharmacists

Phone 44.

We have sold all our brick on hand but if you or your friends are going to build, you run no risk in placing your order with us. We make brick now at the rate of 20,000 per day, and we are preparing to make anything you want in the line of burnt clay ware. Our circular letter to users of building material in clay ware will be ready in a few days. Write for it.

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Buy a home

IN THE BEAUTIFUL

Sunrise ADDITION

This addition is the choicest residence district in Ada, and no other location offers the advantages of SUNRISE. Just the right distance from the business district—the place to build a substantial home on a small investment. Values are steadily advancing. You must see this beautiful addition before you decide on a location, and we will be glad to show you these lots at any time. Come in and talk it over, before values advance.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

12th and Broadway.

R. O. WHEELER, Manager.

The Nickel Store

Why Pay More?

Why pay big profits when the

Nickel Store

is satisfied with small ones. This store made low prices possible in many lines. Hundreds of pleased customers have told their story of quality and price. One price to all, and that the lowest cash price. Quick sales and small profits.

GARDEN SEEDS.

Choice new crop 1907 seeds, the large full weight packages, 2 for 5c. We also sell everything in the line of bulk seeds at half the usual prices.

LAMPS

Usually merchants expect to make big profits on lamps. We like profits but we prefer small ones and lots of business. Size up our lamp bargains, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 65c.

Big Bargains in Hardware and Enamelware.

10 quart Enamel Buckets 75c values for 50c; 14 qt. Enamel Dish Pans for 50c; 7 qt. Enamel Tea Kettles for 69c; 2 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 10c; 5 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 15c.

FILES. All first-class hand saw files, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2, for 5c each.

Flat files. 6 inch 8c, 8 inch 10c, 10 inch 15c or 2 for 25c.

Shoe Tacks. 1 lb. boxes Brashed Shoe Nails, 4c.

Hammers. First-class steel nail hammers 49c; tack hammers 5c and 10c. Tacks. Carpet tacks, 500 count, 5c per box.

Bargains in Stoneware.

Milk Crocks, 1 gal. size 6c; 2 gal. size 12c. Milk tall jars, 1 gal. size 6c; 2 gal. size 12c.

FINE CHINAWARE.

Salad Dishes, usually sold at 50c, for 25c. Bread dishes, unusually nice lot, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Cups and Saucers, gold decorated, semi porcelain, 60c a set. Dinner Plates of same goods, 60c a set.

Dishes, Bakers, Bowls, Platters, Pitchers, etc. We are selling this high-grade ware as cheap as the plain white is usually sold for.

All over the store you will find new goods, all at fair prices. Hundreds of real bargains. Clean cut snaps. We respectfully invite you to call, whether you wish to buy or not.

The Nickel Store

5c and 10c Store of Ada

S. M. SHAW, Prop.

LA FRANCE SHOE

For Women

What can be more satisfying than the knowledge of being becomingly dressed—especially on Easter Sunday? Secure a pair of La France shoes, and, so far as footwear is concerned, this satisfaction will be yours. Right here at this store there is now being exhibited an assortment of the La France spring and Easter models, every pair of which is a pleasing example of best shoe-making. No matter what style or finish you ask to see—or how exacting your demands—there's a La France that will appeal to your judgment and give the desired appearance and comfort to your foot.

Among other La France advantages you should not fail to see the new Flexible Welt shoe—"More comfortable than a turn."

S. E. Chapman

ADA, I. T.

\$3.00 and \$3.50

THE ARTISTIC WALL.

One of Solid Color Will Always Give Best Effect.

The dearest, daintiest, most artistic wall is a solid colored wall. It furnishes a perfect background for all kinds of pictures, it throws them out in their correct proportions, and does not detract from their artistic value. The solid colored wall is also much better as a background for furniture, and harmonizes much more artistically with carpets and rugs than any other method of wall treatment. The less breaking up of color on a wall the more artistic it is.

The most successful form of the solid colored wall is an alabaster wall. There is as much difference between tinted walls, as there is between shoddy and all-wool gowns. The shoddy gown holds its color for a few days, while the all-wool keeps its color to the very last thread, so also in solid colored walls, there are shoddy walls and permanently colored walls which retain their color down to the very last particle. The ideal wall coating never rubs off, never flakes nor chips off and is always ready for a fresh coat. If there is wallpaper on the wall, soak it off with warm water, then go over the plaster after you have removed the paper with warm water to remove every trace of paste. Have the wall thoroughly clean for a clean wall cannot be built on an unclean foundation. If there are any particles of foreign matter adhering to the wall scrape them off with a putty knife. Then if there are any discolorations on the wall, size it with a material made from cheap varnish, thinned down with benzine and Japan added for a drier, then cover your wall with your tinting material.

Be sure your man uses a tinting material mixed with cold water. If he comes to you and asks for warm water, you can make up your mind that there is glue in the material which he proposes to put on your wall, and you can be certain that you are going to have a shoddy wall, for glue means shoddy. Glue means that it will hold its color long enough for the man to collect his bill and not much longer. Insist on your tinting material being mixed with clear, cold water. Be sure that your wall is made from pure materials, then you will have a permanent, artistic, sanitary wall. A wall that will be a "thing of beauty and a joy forever."

CLEARED HIMSELF OF BLAME.

Explanation of Politician That Surely Was Convincing.

A recent incident in Australia is related as showing how watchful a politician must be in this censorious age. Among other accounts of a deadhead nature on the books of the Westralia railway was one setting forth that Miss Peacock had been franked over the lines to the value of \$85, and instantly there was wide demands about it. People wanted to know why Sir Alexander Peacock's daughter was given these privileges. Sir Alexander himself, a former premier of Victoria, was very much hurt when he heard of the matter, and hastened to assure the Westralia government firstly, that if his daughter had appeared in Westralia, it was entirely without his sanction; secondly, if she had made claims upon the Westralia railways she had done it without his authority; thirdly, that never during his long political career had he asked his own state, let alone any other, to extend dead-heading privileges to a daughter of his; and, fourthly and finally, he had no daughter, and never has had a daughter.—Boston Transcript.

Record Mountain Climbing.

The redoubtable enterprise of climbing Mont Blanc in midwinter has recently been successfully carried out. The climber is an artist-photographer of Chamounix—M. Max Willmann. The climb took two days and nights. With M. Willmann were two guides. During all three days the weather was arctic in point of cold, but otherwise splendid.

Growth of Europe's Population.

At the present rate of increase the population of Europe will double itself in a century.

FOOLED THE PREACHER.

A Doctor's Brother Thought Postum Was Coffee.

A wise doctor found out coffee was hurting him, so he quit drinking it. He was so busy with his practice, however, that his wife had to write how he fooled his brother, a clergyman, one day at dinner. She says: "Doctor found coffee was injuring him and decided to give Postum a trial, and we have used it now for four years, with continued benefit. In fact, he is now free from the long train of ills that follow coffee drinking."

"To show how successful we are in making Postum properly I will relate an incident. At a dinner we gave, Doctor suggested we serve Postum instead of ordinary coffee."

"Doctor's brother, a clergyman, supposed it was old fashioned coffee and remarked, as he called for his second cup: 'If you do preach against coffee, I see you haven't forgotten how to make it.'"

This goes to show that well-made—fully boiled—Postum has much the flavor and richness of good coffee although it has an individuality all its own. A ten days' trial will prove that it has none of the poisonous effect of ordinary coffee, but will correct the troubles caused by coffee. "There's a reason." Name furnished by Postum Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

FADED TO A SHADOW.

Worn Down by Five Years of Suffering from Kidney Complaint.

Mrs. Remetho Myers, of 180 South Tenth St., Ironton, O., says: "I have worked hard in my time and have been exposed again and again to changes of weather. It is no wonder my kidneys gave out and I went all to pieces at last. For five years I was fading away and finally so weak that for six months I could not get out of the house. I was nervous, restless and sleepless at night, and lame and sore in the morning. Sometimes everything would whirl and blur before me. I bloated so badly I could not wear tight clothing, and had to put on shoes two sizes larger than usual. The urine was disordered and passages were dreadfully frequent. I got help from the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and by the time I had taken four boxes the pain and bloating were gone. I have been in good health ever since."

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Year's Cigarette Output.

The cigarette output of 4,568,720,015 in the calendar year of 1906 must have come as a surprise to the bulk of the trade, but more stunning yet its increase in one year of \$42,210,425, an increase by nearly 300,000,000 larger than the increase of our cigar industry during the same year. This jump is the more remarkable in the face of the pronounced and unrelenting hostility of a half dozen state legislatures which have ostracized not only the manufacture but also the handling and consumption of cigarettes within the confines of their respective territories.—United States Tobacco Journal.

Oats—Heads 2 Foot Long.

The John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., are bringing out a new oats this year with heads 2 foot long! That's a wonder. Their catalog tells!

Spetz—the greatest cereal hay food America ever saw! Catalog tells!

Our mammoth 148-page Seed and Tool Catalog is mailed free to all intending buyers, or send 6c in stamps and receive free samples of new Two Foot Long Oats and other cereals and big catalog free.

John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box W, La Crosse, Wis.

Purely Experimental.

"Why in the world did you order a Welsh rabbit in this French place?" they asked her. "Of course, the cheese is about the same as you get everywhere, but how can you tell what a French Welsh rabbit will do to you afterward?"

"I'm not afraid," she informed them, placidly. "I just want to see what sort of ragtime nightmare French it will speak."

Stood the Test.

Alcock's Plasters have successfully stood the test of sixty years' use by the public; their virtues have never been equalled by the unscrupulous imitators who have sought to trade upon their reputation by making plasters with holes in them, and claiming them to be "just as good as Alcock's."

Alcock's plasters stand today endorsed by not only the highest medical authorities, but by millions of grateful patients who have proved their efficacy as a household remedy.

Ideal Trade Conditions.

Women should not get credit. Neither should men. Cash is the cure. Tradesmen, maybe, would have a bad time for six or 12 months, and many a lady would have to "lie low," but in the end we would get both our trade and our money, and she would get her dress, and at far less cost.—London Opinion.

Don't It Jar You?

To have a cough that you can't leave off—even when you go to bed? Put it away for good by using Simmons' Cough Syrup. It heals inflammation of the throat and lungs—gives you rest and peaceful sleep.

Pine 200 Years Old.

Charles H. Lord of Dunbarton, N. H., recently cut a large pine tree on his farm which, from the rings, was 200 years old. The tree was 134 feet tall, measured five feet four inches on the stump, and at the height of 60 feet measured three feet in diameter.

In a Pinch, Use ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE. A powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Makes poor shoes easy. A certain cure for sweating feet. Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Accept no substitute. Trial package, FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Missionary's Large District.

The Rev. W. Arthur Noble, of Korea, has one of the largest districts in Methodism. Recently he walked 300 miles, the churches in one section of his district being near enough for him to do this.

Try It Once.

There is more actual misery and less real danger in a case of itching, skin disease than any other ailment. Hunt's Cure is manufactured especially for these cases. It relieves instantly and cures promptly. Absolutely guaranteed.

Coolies Show Affection.

The Chinese laborers in the Van Rhu gold mines recently presented to their white manager a handsome silver tray to mark their feelings of affection, "as deep as the sea."

HE HAD TASTE IN VEILS.

Unfortunate Admission That Made Trouble for George.

She was standing by the mirror. He was buried deep in the sporting page. "George!" "Well, well! What is it now?" "How do you like my new veil?" "Oh, it is very pretty. Anything else?" "But how do you know it is pretty? Men don't know anything about veils." "You are very polite toward our sex. I would have you understand that I have a taste for veils." "You have a taste for veils?" "Yes, I have tasted a dozen veils. That is—er—I mean I have—no, yes, I—what in thunderation do I mean? I—"

"Stop! Not another falsehood, George Brown! You have been kissing some girl through her veil. You know the taste of veils, eh? You deceiver, I—"

But poor George had fled.

TACK THIS UP.

Simple Advice Which May Prove of Untold Value.

At the first sign of Backache or pain in the region of the Kidneys, or weakness and Urinary trouble, the following simple prescription should be used:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Any good prescription pharmacy will supply these three ingredients at small cost, which can easily be mixed by shaking well in a bottle. This is said to force the Kidneys to filter the sour acids and poisons from the blood, overcoming the worst cases of Rheumatism.

Rockefeller Escaped.

Judge Hedeman, journalist of France, was sent by his paper, the Matin, to interview John D. Rockefeller, when the latter was at Compeigne last summer. "Mr. Rockefeller," said M. Jules, "I desire to interview you." "Ah!" replied Mr. Rockefeller. "I desire to ask you some questions about yourself and receive answers therefrom." "Ah!" said Mr. Rockefeller. "I desire to discover if many of the things said about you are true." Mr. Rockefeller pondered. At last he said: "I have heard it charged that I am so stingy I will never take a cab. This is not true, for if you will observe closely you will see that I intend to take one now." And he did.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Tin Used in United States.

The total consumption of tin in the United States for 1905 was 42,800 tons, with 2,132 tons in stock at the close of the year. The shipments from Bolivia show an increase of 3,600 tons, from Cornwall an increase of from 700 to 7,000 tons and from Australia an increase of 1,000 tons, making the total European and American supply for the year about 93,500 tons.

Catarrh and Headache.

Mrs. Z. L. Goforth, 2119 Fifth street, Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample bottle and two 25c bottles of Hunt's Lightning Oil, I am almost well of Catarrh. It stops my headaches. It is the best medicine I ever saw and I just can't keep house without it." She is right.

In Deserved Vacation.

After 16 years of continuous service, during which he has never taken a vacation, Prof. John Sterling Kingsley, of Tufts college has been granted a year's leave of absence, which he will pass in scientific research in Italy. He is one of the most widely known authorities on zoology in the country.

You can do your dyeing in half an hour with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES. Ask your druggist.

The noblest spirit is most strongly attracted by the love of glory.—Cicero.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itch, Ring, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Warts in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Did you ever observe the look of contempt on a plump girl's face when she sees a thin one crossing a muddy street?

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c. Many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Advancement in Siberia. Agricultural schools have been established in several places in Siberia, and a certain number of steam plows, reapers and the like are now in use.

One trial will convince you of the peculiar fitness of Nature's remedy, Gardell Tea, for liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, for impure blood, rheumatism and chronic ailments.

Coldest European Winter.

In the year 1814 the Thames froze and the English channel was for a time impassable because of icebergs. The coldest European winter on record was that of 1708-1709. It began early in October. In 1749 also the cold was so intense that birds fell dead to the ground.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Hutchins.* In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

True courage is not incompatible with nervousness, and heroism does not mean the absence of fear, but the conquest of it.—Henry Van Dyke.

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(Don't Scratch.) Is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee to cure Tetter, Eczema, Itch of all kinds, Skin Eruptions, Ring Worm, Dew Poison, Chapped Face and Hands, Pimples, Dandruff and all Scalp Troubles, Corns, Bunions, Sore and Sweaty Feet, Etc. Sold everywhere, two sizes, 50c and \$1.00 Bottles. Mail this ad. to us and we will send you a trial bottle free.

HOOPER MEDICINE CO., Dallas, Texas.

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READERS of this paper desiring to buy any thing advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing all substitutes or imitations.

DEFIANCE STARCH—16 ounces in the package—other starches only 12 ounces—same price and "DEFIANCE" IS SUPERIOR QUALITY.

THE VALUE OF PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE

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Secret of Japan's Success.
Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton of the British army wrote the evening after one of the great battles which he had witnessed between Russians and Japanese in the recent war in Manchuria: "To bed! Although it is with reluctance that I prepare to lose my grip of the exciting consciousness that I have to-day seen the most stupendous spectacle that it is possible for mortal brain to conceive—Asia advancing, Europe falling back; the wall of mist and the writing thereon." Then as to the meaning of this retreat of Europe before advancing Asia: "The more I think the more certain I am that it was not strategy or tactics, or armament or information, which won the battle of Liaoyang for Oyama, but that it was rather the souls of the Japanese troops which triumphed over the less developed, less awakened, less stimulated qualities of the Russians."

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"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the head and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The baby had had about a week when the second boy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third boy took it. For the first three months I took them to the N— Dispensary, but they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 5 and 7, 1906."

Triumph of American Duchesses.

Helen, duchess of Manchester, is now lady-in-waiting to Queen Alexandra, and the first American to receive that honor. So much for marrying the only son of the most popular duchess at the court of Edward VII. Other American duchesses may shrug and say they wouldn't be a lady in waiting on any account; but don't you believe them. It is a royal distinction tremendously valued by English nobility, and the next step is the political plum to be made mistress of the robes.—Boston Herald.

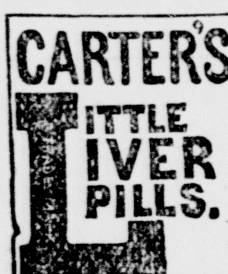
SCIATIC TORTURE

A Locomotive Engineer Tells How He Was Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Pain that seems almost unbearable is a characteristic of sciatic rheumatism. In some cases the pain is knife-like, sharp or shooting; in others it is dull and aching. Sciatica is stubborn in resisting treatment and the patient frequently suffers for years. This was the case with Mr. Herbert E. Spaulding, a locomotive engineer on the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway, whose home is at Longview, Texas. "While running an engine some years ago," he says, "I fell off and hurt my knee and spine and I have always considered this to be the cause of my illness. The sciatica took hold of me from my heel to the back of my head. The pain was the worst I ever suffered in my life and my leg and back were twisted out of shape. I was under a physician's care for several months and for six months could not get out of bed. I also went to Hot Springs but came back in a worse condition than when I went. "It was when I was down in bed that I heard of the case of a Mr. Allison, a much older man than myself, who had been cured of sciatica by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking the pills and soon was able to get out of bed. When I had taken six boxes I was able to work about the house and yard. I kept right on with the pills until I was cured and I have never had any return of the trouble. I have been running an engine ever since."

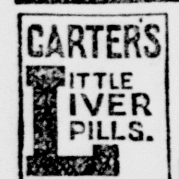
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Why Farmers Grow Old Early.

Anyone who has lived on a farm does not need to be told the reason, for he knows of the strain under which the American farmer lives during the five months of spring and summer, says Woody Hutchinson, M. D., in Harper's Monthly. His work day is from four or five in the morning until eight or nine at night, including chores—15 to 17 hours of the hardest kind of physical labor, and every minute of it at high tension, especially during harvest. Then comes a period of relaxation in the fall, the one time in the year when he has just enough muscular exercise to keep him in health. Later, the winter season, approaching stagnation, in which he takes on flesh, gets "lasy," and then a furious debauch of hard labor through the spring and summer again. No wonder that by 45 he has had a stroke and "can't stand the heat," or has "a weak back," or his "heart gives out," or a chill "makes him rheumatic," and when you add to this furious muscular strain the fact that the farmer sees his income put in peril every season, and his very home every bad year, so that each unfavorable change in the weather sets his nerves on edge, it can be readily imagined that the real "quiet, peaceful country life" is something sadly different from the ideal.

Millions for Damages.

The various (street car) companies of Greater New York reported for 1905 a total of \$2,098,009.50 paid out in damages. Two million dollars in a single year! But this was not all, remarks John P. Fox, in Everybody's. The same companies reported for legal expenses in connection with accidents the further item of \$1,005,892.81, making the total amount of damages \$3,103,902.40. This is equivalent to 60,000,000 fares a year! The total amount paid out by all the tram companies of the United Kingdom, including Great Britain and Ireland, for the year 1903-1904, was only \$591,000! Or, take it by cities. The amount paid out by the municipal system of Liverpool for 1905 was \$53,800. The amount paid out by the Boston Elevated, operating the surface systems of Boston, for 1906, was \$603,576! The traffic of the chief Berlin company is greater by half than that of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company. The amount paid out in 1905 by this Berlin company was \$65,500. The amount paid out by the Brooklyn company in 1905 was \$648,038.10!

Do We Change Our Size?

We all have read such phrases as "his form seemed to dilate," and "he suddenly looked mean and shrunken." Without doubt one can and one does, under certain circumstances, as in offended dignity, extend the height, dilate the chest, and so become larger, and fear may cause a sort of collapse that makes one appear quite shrunken. These are real and commonplace things. There is something else allied to the foregoing which is not quite so simple, says New York Weekly. We associate grand things with bigness, and mean things with smallness. By some curious trick of our nervous system we no sooner learn that a person has done a noble deed than his form looks noble, and if we hear that the deed is mean his form appears mean. If another is proved intellectually excellent, we mark the width of his forehead. Should he subsequently do anything disgraceful, we think his forehead mean-looking. And, indeed, we ourselves may feel broad or mean in brow, but all these things are mental illusions.

The mayor of Huddersfield, England, some time ago offered to give a pound sterling to every child born during his term who should live to be a year old. This prize has, it is said, already caused a marked lessening of infant mortality in the town, parents being inspired to take better care of their offspring. The mayor is a step in advance of President Roosevelt, remarks the Indianapolis Star. He knows that race suicide is not necessarily averted by the mere bringing of children into the world.

Jamaica is beginning to suspect that Great Britain has been holding it only for purposes of exploitation. It threatens to appeal to the United States for aid if John Bull does not loosen up. If Swettenham disapproves of these sentiments Jamaica is willing that he should take his hatbox and go.

That village innkeeper at Winston, Eng., must have been amazed when he discovered that the portrait of Shakespeare, which had been valued in his family only because of its antiquity, was worth about \$20,000—considerably more than all his other property.

A female suffragist says that women can vote as easily as they can put on a new hat. Yes; but will they take equal care that the ballot is on straight?

WOMEN IN HOSPITALS

Experiences of Mrs. Rockwood and Miss Tierney



MISS MARGARET TIERNEY

MRS. CHAS. A. ROCKWOOD

A large proportion of the operations performed in our hospitals are upon women and girls for some organic trouble.

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Because they have neglected themselves, as every one of these patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in those dragging sensations, pains at left or right of abdomen, backaches, nervous exhaustion, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, and other organic weaknesses.

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Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

are constantly being received by Mrs. Pinkham to prove our claims. Mrs. C. A. Rockwood, teacher of Parliamentary Law, of 58 Free St., Fredonia, N. Y., writes:

"For years I suffered with female trouble. It was decided that an operation was necessary, and although I submitted to a serious operation my sufferings continued, until Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and it proved a marvelous remedy, so quickly did it restore my health. I cannot thank you sufficiently for the good it has done me."

Miss Margaret Tierney, of No. 328 W. 25th Street, New York, writes:

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Northern Democratic Senators. After March 3 the only Democratic senators, who do not represent southern states, will be Newlands of Nevada and Teller of Colorado, and their terms will expire in 1909. Newlands is a native of Mississippi, and is a radical Democrat of the modern school. Teller has been a Republican most of his life.

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City's Death Rate Reduced. The London death rate is now nearly 30 per cent. lower than it was at the coming into operation of the public health act in 1891. In that year the death rate was 17.1; in 1905 it was 15.1 a thousand.

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GARDENS FOR THE WORKERS.

Self-Help Movement in France Proving a Great Success.

"The great value of my little garden to me has not been the fine vegetables it has yielded all summer and the good time the children have had in the open air, but the glasses of beer and absinthe my husband hasn't taken," observed the mother of a French workingman's rather numerous family to an investigator last autumn.

"Quite right, mother," echoed a man near by; "you will never know the evil we men don't do while we are busy in our little gardens."

This conversation took place in France, on one of the workingmen's gardens, a movement for self-help which is growing each year, says a writer in the Century. A similar movement was started in Detroit in 1894 under the name of the Pota Patch farms; later carried out successfully in New York and other cities in the vacant lot farms, while to-day Philadelphia is beginning her eighth year of successful effort.

Mme. Hervieu, a charitable woman in Sedan, tired of aiding the poor by gifts of money, attempted to rouse them to self-help by an offer of doubling any sum of money which they should deposit in the local savings bank. She rented a small tract of land and said to the poor people: "Now go to work."

They did, and as they worked the taste for it grew; they kept steadily at it, especially as they knew that the fruits of their labor would belong to them, that the vegetables they raised could be taken to their homes or sold.

Such was the humble beginning in 1899 of a little movement, but one so simple and practical that it grew until last October, in Paris, there was held a congress of workingmen's gardens, attended by 700 delegates, under the presidency of M. Aynard of France.

REALLY A GREAT LADY.

Tribute to Life and Character of Lady Burdett-Coutts.

Lady Burdett-Coutts was one of the very few women who in a restless, chattering society knew how to talk and to listen, says an English writer. To know her was a liberal education. The daughter of Sir Francis Burdett had naturally seen and conversed with the giants of the reform-bill days and met everybody worth meeting for 60 years. Her memory was so good, her sympathy so universal and her manner of expression so happy that a conversation with Lady Burdett-Coutts was like reading a delightful chapter of memoirs. A young member of parliament once asked her what was the meaning of the expression which he had come across in Disraeli's novels that "members used to dine out in their boots." "It means," said the old lady, with her exquisite courtesy, "that they used to dine away from the house and dine with me without dressing, as I hope you will do whenever you can." Judged by modern standards erected by German and American millionaires Lady Burdett-Coutts was not so very rich, but, then, in proportion to her means she gave away ten times as much.

Baggage Smashing.

In Washington one day a distinguished French visitor to this country pointed out to a baggage handler a rather frail gripsack.

"Is that strong enough," he asked, "to go in the baggage car?"

"I'll see," said the man. He lifted the grip high above his head and threw it on the platform with all his might.

"That," he said, "is what she'll get in Philadelphia."

He took it up again and banged it against the side of a car four or five times.

"That is what she'll get in Chicago," he went on.

He tossed it high in the air, and on its descent jumped on it. This broke the lock open, so that the contents were scattered over the platform.

"And that's what she'll get in Sioux City," he concluded.

"You'd better take her in the Pullman with you, boss," he added, graciously, "if you're going further than Sioux City."—Washington Star.

Romance of the Bible House.

From this huge building, in Astor place, New York city, authority radiates to the uttermost ends of the earth. Let its directors say the word and cargoes of Bibles, marvelously printed in the quaintest and most barbarous of tongues, will go on camels or elephants crashing through the jungles of Africa and Siam; on queer little llamas over the great passes of the Andes between Bolivia and Peru; on the heads of cannibal coolies round about the base of the Mountains of the Moon, near the source of old Father Nile; on camel back across the burning deserts of Nubia and Arabia the Stony, or in flat-bottomed boats towed by man with bamboo cables through the deep gorges of the Yangtse river.—The Circle.

Not Old Enough.

"If I were younger," said the rich old man, "I believe I might win you for my wife."

"Yes," replied the cold beauty, dreamily, considering his 60 years, "or say, 15 or 20 years older."

Making Use of His Time.

"Did you accomplish anything during the session of congress?"

"Yes, indeed," answered the statesman. "I got some very good ideas for my summer lecture tour."

LAND PATENTS OF INTEREST.

Signatures of Two of the Early Presidents on Them.

W. K. McCall of the Franklin County State bank of Ottawa, who is somewhat of a gatherer of relics, has three land patents which are pretty interesting considering that the signatures of two of the early presidents of the United States are contained in two of them, says the Kansas City Journal. Two of the instruments are patents of land in the northwest territory. One of them is to land in Belmont county, Ohio, and the other to land in Jefferson county. Jonathan Pickering received a track of land in the first-named county. The patent was signed on June 23, 1826, by President Adams. The signature reads simply "J. Q. Adams." The other patent was made to William Johnson, and was signed by James Madison, president of the United States, on July 30, 1812. The third instrument gives a tract of land in La Salle county, Illinois, to James Caldwell. The patent was signed by J. K. Stephens, secretary to President Polk, for the president, on December 1, 1840. The instruments are made of sheepskin. They were gathered by the father of Mr. McCall.

A HOUSE OF MARBLE CHIPS.

Remarkable Patchwork Palace Going Up in Macon, Ga.

The patchwork palace being built by Dr. W. W. Billingslea in Macon, Ga., has reached the second story. In many respects this will be the most unique dwelling house in Macon. It was something over a year ago when Dr. Billingslea conceived the idea of building a house with the chips from the marble used in building the new federal building in this city. It was to be his own house, planned and built by himself, after his own ideas, so he drew the plans, and in April started work. He made arrangements with the contractors at the government building to cart away all the chips and broken marble. With day laborers he mixed the cement and marble and up grew the walls. The house is commodious. There is to be a steel and cement roof, with roof garden, and the elevator will run from the basement. With the exception of the day labor, Dr. Billingslea has done all the work on the house. Up to date the material, labor and every expense amounts to less than \$1,000, and he expects to complete the building for less than \$1,500.

Complimented.

A few weeks ago a Philadelphia man was in a North Carolina town of very few inhabitants. One day when he was on the point of making a purchase he discovered that he had exhausted his small change. The shopkeeper could not "break" the \$10 bill offered him, and the northern man went out in the main street to see how he might solve the difficulty. He asked several persons, but still on one had the requisite amount for the bill. At last an old, white-haired seedy negro came along. In sheer desperation the Philadelphia man said:

"Uncle, can you change a \$10 bill for me?"

"Uncle" looked dazed for the moment. Then his shuffling figure straightened. With a doffing of the hat and a bow worthy of Chesterfield, he replied with dignity:

"No, marse, I can't change no \$10 bill; but I done 'preciates the compliment jes' the same, sah."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Diplomacy.

"Listen," said the girl as the woman came in from the party at three o'clock in the morning and stood at the head of her bed. "Do you hear her sob, the woman above? She has been sobbing like that for an hour. Now, listen to his big, gruff voice storming at her."

"I'll put a stop to that," the woman declared, as she hurried out of the flat on up stairs.

"Well," said the girl, when she had come down again, "what did you do? Threaten him with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Wives?"

"Not at all," said the woman. "I simply rang his bell and asked him if there was something I could do for his wife. Wasn't she ill? We could hear her crying beneath in our bedroom, I told him. He thanked me and said there was nothing I could do; but you don't hear any more sobbing, do you?"

Had Ambitions.

Secretary Shaw, searching for the hidden things in the lives of his hundreds of clerks, had blanks sent around the treasury asking each clerk to give his vital statistics. One line requested an answer to the question: "Are you suffering from any disease?"

When the blanks came in it was found that one man said he had tuberculosis. Secretary Shaw sent for him. He came in, a big, broad-shouldered negro messenger, who looked healthy enough to live 50 years.

"Why," said the secretary, "you haven't got tuberculosis!"

"Ain't I?" asked the negro. "No you haven't. You are perfectly healthy. Why did you write on this blank that you have tuberculosis?"

"Well," said the messenger, "I dunno; 'ceptin' if there's anythin' fashionable goin' round I want it."

Something Like It.

"I asked the boss to supplement my salary to-day."

"Did he do it?"

"No; gave me the haka."

"Sort of comic supplement, eh?"

GUNS IN A NATIONAL SALUTE.

Twenty-One in This Country and England, but Different Elsewhere.

The question as to why the national salute consisted of 21 guns was put to one of the classes at Washington preparing young men for the entrance examinations for West Point and Annapolis and, strange to say, not one of the embryotic generals or admirals "hit the nail on the head."

The "coach," who knows American history away down underneath, furnished the information that the national salute—that is, the salute given to a national flag—is fixed by army regulations at 21 guns and that the number appears to have been in conformity to the custom of foreign nations at the time when the number was so fixed.

The first record of a national salute is in army regulations of 1812, which is in conformity to the number of states comprising the union, then 18, but in 1818, a new regulation was made fixing the number at 21, which was at that date the number of states in the union and which was at the same time in accordance with the king's regulations (Great Britain), which fixed 21 guns to be fired as a salute on the anniversary days of the birth, accession and coronation of the king, the birth of the queen, the restoration of Charles II. and the gunpowder treason.

At that date the national salute in France was also fixed at 21 guns, to be fired only on Corpus Christi day and on the king's birthday.

It is proper to remark, however, that the national salute of 21 guns at the present time appears to be peculiar to the United States and Great Britain, inasmuch as the national salute of France is 101 guns; of Germany 33 guns, and that the superlative salute in the United States is that on the Fourth of July of one gun for each state in the union and it is called the salute to the union.

SMALL BOY KEPT BUSY.

Just a Few Questions He Asked in a Short Period.

The capacity of the average small boy for asking questions is practically unlimited, but it is doubtful whether more searching inquiries have ever been made by a boy than those propounded by a youngster to his father, who had taken him for a steamer trip.

Here is a partial list:

"Is that water down there any wetter than the water in the Atlantic ocean?"

"What makes the water wet?"

"How many men could be drowned in water as deep as that?"

"Is that big man with the gold buttons on his coat the father of all those men who do whatever he tells them to?"

"Where do all those soapbuds behind the boat come from?"

"Could a train go as fast on the water as this boat?"—Chums.

While They Waited.

The occasion was that of a fashionable wedding.

The hour set for the ceremony was eight o'clock, and the church was filled, but the bride party did not arrive upon the scene until nearly nine.

The organist filled in the time by playing such pieces of appropriate music as happened to be at hand, most of them several times over, and when he had exhausted these he began to improvise.

"Grinders," said one of the vestrymen, after the ceremony was over and the congregation had gone, "I have been puzzling my brains over that thing you played just before the bride and groom came. There was a familiar strain that ran through it, but your variations effectually disguised the theme. What was it?"

"I'll tell you," answered the organist, "if you won't say anything to the preacher about it. It was 'Waiting at the Church.'"

Illegal to Fish and Sleep.

The Pennsylvania superior court has decided that it is illegal to fish with umbrellas ribs and sleigh bells, in reversing a decision by Judge Endlich of the Berks court. The case has been watched by fishermen all over the state.

Some months ago Henry J. Humma and Harry Kinney were discharged by Justice of the Peace Prutzman, of Birdsboro, from arrest on the charge of illegal fishing brought by Fish Warden Nesley, of Pottstown. An appeal was taken to the Berks court, which upheld the magistrate. The commonwealth then appealed to the superior court.

The defendants used umbrella ribs attached to which were sleigh bells which rang when they had a bite. In this way they were able to doze while fishing. The superior court in its decision declares the device to be illegal.

Helpless.

"Why do you allow the stage manager to subject you to so many ups and downs?" asked the Flies of the Curtain.

"How can I help myself?" retorted the Curtain, with bitter emphasis. "Hasn't he always got the drop on me?"

No Telling How Long.

Visitor—How long are you in for, my poor man?

Prisoner—Dunno, ma'am.

Visitor—How can that be?

Prisoner—It's a life sentence.

TALK AS MUCH AS EVER.

Man Thinks 'Phone Has Improved Conversational Powers.

"A count in the indictment against this businesslike age," said the doctor "is that the art of conversation is dying out. I wish respectfully to submit that one of our modern institutions effectually prevents any such catastrophe, if catastrophe it be. I refer to the telephone and its use. I have learned by experience that people not only say a good many disagreeable things over the telephone that they wouldn't say if they were face to face with you, but also that the telephone gives a flip to ordinary conversational powers quite amazing in its results. The detailed statement of symptoms over the telephone is something with which every physician is familiar, and there are patients of a certain mental makeup very apt to diverge easily into general remarks which, however valuable in themselves are singularly devoid of professional interest. I shudder to think what such persons have to offer in the way of talk when they go to the telephone for purely social purposes. Judging from the difficulty I have frequently in getting the wire, I should surmise that we live in a network of society telephone calls—all well enough in their way, but not supporting the hypothesis that as a people we are suffering from dumbness."

DIDN'T SEND THE SEATS.

Actor Not so Gallant as the Fair Ones Had Expected.

A well-known American actor, who is old enough not to consider himself a matinee idol by any means, was somewhat surprised and pleased in a St. Louis hotel a short time ago, when a pretty girl stopped him in the corridor and presented him with a rose, without saying a word. He was more surprised and less pleased to receive a note the following day reminding him of the incident, and asking him to send the giver of the flower two seats at the theater in which he was playing "as a memento of the occasion."

"My dear young lady," the actor replied, waxing sarcastic as he realized what had been the object of the attention he had been paid, "I would be glad to send you the seats you ask for, but, on consultation with the manager of the theater, I have been informed that the seats are all fastened down, and that he is opposed to having them sent away as souvenirs in any event, so that you will have to be contented with an autograph of yesterday instead."—Montreal Herald.

Mail Delivered at Churches.

"That seems a tremendous big bunch of mail to be delivered at a church," remarked an early caller to the sexton.

"A good deal of it belongs to the parishioners," he explained, "I do not mean to the regular worshippers, but to persons who drop in for an occasional service. They are mostly comparative strangers in town. When leaving home they have no idea what they will do or where they will be located, so in order to relieve the anxiety of their friends they give instructions to send their mail to some church of which they have heard. The mere fact that the wanderers have to call at such a place once or twice a week for letters is considered a guaranty of their safety. The pastors welcome such an arrangement. It may be an additional responsibility to take care of the letters, but it keeps them in touch with many strangers who otherwise probably would not go near a church."—N. Y. Sun.

Mayor as Bell Ringer.

The following story is told in Paris of a village priest and a mayor: In a village in the department of the Ain the cure was his own church warden. For want of money the church was abandoned, and for many days the villagers heard no Angelus when working in the fields at daybreak, at noon, and in the evening. The mayor, a retired gendarme, an ardent radical, missed the cure and the chimes as much as any other villager, and when the cure had been gone a week he began to ring the bells. One night recently the village was roused by the notes of the Angelus. It was no call to mass, still less a fire alarm; it was a mistake of the mayor. The moon, breaking through the clouds just before going down, had brought him from his bed thinking it was sunrise. And now he is awaiting a letter from the prefect reproaching him, and perhaps revoking him for having rung the church bells before sunrise.

Poll Parrot as a Game Bird.

While the parrot is a bird of beautiful plumage, as a table delicacy it is not recommended, as I know from sad experience. My first essay at eating a parrot was attended with modified success. The bird must have been comparatively young, and after several hours boiling became soft enough to masticate and finally swallow, leaving behind it an impression that we had lunched on the sole of a rubber boot.—Field and Stream.

Making History.

"Why are you weeping?" asked Alexander's biographer.

"Because the cook put too much cayenne pepper in the sauce!" answered the conqueror. "But don't you dare to say so in print!"

And thus originated the story of his grief because there were no more worlds to conquer.

WAS NOT TO BE TAKEN IN.

Good Wife Remembered Instructions to Be Careful.

"There are still a few honest men left in the world," said J. J. Hill at a banquet in New York. "It is well to be cautious, but we should not suspect everybody. If we are too suspicious we make ourselves absurd. I worked in St. Paul in my youth and they still tell there about an old farmer and his wife who started for St. Paul on a visit. Before the couple set off they were cautioned repeatedly by their friends to beware of the St. Paul sharpers. They replied that they would keep their eyes open. And they started on their journey with a nervous determination to look out for sharpers and confidence men. Well, one the way the old farmer got off at a junction to buy some lunch and the train went off without him. It was a terrible mishap. The last he saw of his wife she was craning out of the car window shouting something reproachful at him which he could not hear on account of the noise of the train. It happened that an express train came along a few minutes later. The old farmer boarded the express and beat his wife to St. Paul by nearly an hour. He was waiting for her at the station when she arrived. He ran up to her and seized her valise. 'Well, Jane,' he said, 'I'm glad to see ye again. I thought we was separated for good.' But the old lady jerked the valise from him indignantly. 'No, ye don't, Mr. Sharper,' she cried. 'I left my husband at the junction. Don't be comin' any of yer confidence tricks on me or I'll call a policeman.'"

THE EVER READY PUMP.

No Trick at All to Make Customer What He Wanted.

William Barclay Parsons, the engineer, is a foe to scamped work, and at a recent dinner he said:

"That man is most unwise who tries to get his work done cheaply. Cheap work can always be secured, but the quality of such work is on its face."

Mr. Parsons, smiling, interrupted himself to tell a story.

"There was a man," he said, "who entered a dairy and asked how much the milk was."

"Ten cents a quart, sir," the young woman behind the counter answered.

"The man looked disappointed."

"Haven't you got any for six cents?" he asked.

"No," said the young woman; "but," she added, "we can soon make you some."

Medicine in Ancient Egypt.

There is much evidence in inscriptions and manuscripts that the ancient Egyptians practiced medicine and surgery extensively. Probably their practice was based on little knowledge of anatomy. Each physician treated only one or two diseases. The sick were exposed in public places so that others who had suffered similarly might tell them of helpful remedies. Diseases of the eye were best understood and received both medical and surgical treatment. The most important medical manuscript found in Egypt is the Papyrus Ebers, written 3000 B. C., and discovered in Memphis. Disease, according to the Egyptians, was due to the anger of some deity, the result of the triumph of evil in its struggle with good—an idea which is still very general throughout Africa and Asia, and which at some time has been prevalent in modified forms in almost every race.—Records of the Past.

Had Fame Thrust Upon Him.

There is one man in New York who has unfortunately achieved fame, says the New York Press. For some reason known only to himself he instructed the telephone company to omit his address from the directory. His name and telephone number are there, but the street and house number of that particular 'phone are missing. He is the only man in the city who has so distinguished himself, and perfect strangers, when stumbling across that peculiar omission, have their curiosity aroused thereby and besiege the information bureau of the company with inquiries as to the address of that over-cautious man of whose very name they were probably hitherto ignorant.

Kindergarten Answers.

A West Side kindergarten teacher, before explaining sunrise and sunset to her class, questioned the little ones to get their own ideas on the subject.

"What becomes of the sun at night, Willie?" she asked.

"God takes it up into heaven," was the prompt response.

"Why can't we see it shining through then?" broke in a little girl.

"Cause He puts it behind His back," explained Willie.

Danger in Being Too Good.

Jimmy—Wat ails yer? Yer don't go in fur no fun at all nowadays.

Tommy—No; I'm bein' good. I'm goin' to have a birthday soon an' I want ter get a present—

Jimmy—Better be keeful an' not be too good or mebbe they won't give yer nothin' but a Bible.—Philadelphia Press.

Her Mistake.

Tom—Bess said "No" to me last night, but I don't think she really could tell why she did it.

Nell—Oh, yes, she could. She told me.

Tom—Did she?

Nell—Yes. She said she didn't think you'd take "No" for an answer.

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Candidate Weakening?

A candidate for an important Pontotoc county office was observed last afternoon riding in a buggy with one of the physicians of the city. The situation appealed to the town wag, who grasped his neighbor's shoulder and exclaimed, "That candidate must be getting weak already."

Mr. Laurence in Town.

Randolph Laurence of Roff, candidate for representative of Pontotoc county, was in town today. Probably he will make a trip to Guthrie this afternoon, after which he purposes to make an active campaign throughout the county.

Notice of Sale.

In the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory at Ada.

In Re-Estate of Ivy Brashears, Geo. W. Brashears, Guardian.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale made by the United States Court in and for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, I will on the 20th day of April, 1907, between the hours of twelve o'clock noon and two o'clock in the afternoon in front of the United States Court house at Ada, Indian Territory, sell at public sale for not less than three-fourths of its appraised value, on credit of three months with bond from the purchaser, with good surety, to be approved by me and a lein on said property for the price, the following described property to-wit: The South one-half of the North one-half of the Southeast quarter; and the North half of the South one-half of the Southeast one quarter of section seventeen, Township two North range four East, containing [eighty] acres, that is a two-third interest [same of Ivy Brashears, minor heir of] ——— Brashears, deceased, such being declared to be her interest by the proper order of the Court.

This the 15th day of March, 1907.

Geo. W. Brashears, Guardian of Ivy Brashears.

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Warning Order.

In the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Southern District. M. J. Carmack, Plaintiff,

vs. J. H. Carmack, Defendant.

The defendant, J. H. Carmack, is warned to appear in this court in thirty days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, M. J. Carmack.

Witness the Hon. J. T. Dickerson judge of said court and the seal thereof this 16th day of March, 1907.

[SEAL] C. M. CAMPBELL, clerk. By A. H. CONSTANT, deputy. Crawford & Bolen, attorneys. Tom D. McKeown, non-resident, attorney.



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Under the proposed constitution the provisions regarding county officers contained in the Oklahoma statutes shall apply in the entire state, except that the office of coroner is abolished and the probate judge is made the county judge.

By the Oklahoma statutes the majority of the county officers are paid on a fee basis, so that the amount of each man's salary will vary with the amount of business transacted by his office.

The clerk of the district court, who has been appointed in the past, is one of the best paid officers in the territory.

The sheriff in each county is allowed certain fixed salaries, proportioned to the population of the county, and in addition thereto receives fees for certain services. With the advice and consent of the county commissioners, he is allowed to appoint such deputies and guards as are necessary for the proper administration of the office. In counties of 10,000 population or less he is allowed \$1,600 annually, over 10,000 and less than 15,000, \$2,000 per annum, 15,000 to 18,000, \$2,400. In all counties in excess of 18,000 population, the sheriff is allowed \$2,800.

The county judge, like the sheriff, is

on a salary proportioned to the number of people in his bailiwick. In counties of 10,000 and less his salary is \$1,000. From 10,000 to 15,000 he is paid \$1,200. From 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,600 and in counties in excess of 18,000 population, \$2,000.

By a special provision in the constitution, the salary of the county judge and county attorney in counties of 10,000 population and over is fixed at \$1,000.

The register of deeds is allowed to retain the fees of his office up to certain limits fixed by population. The salary ranges from \$1,000 in counties of 10,000 and less, to \$2,000 where the population exceeds 18,000. In addition to this stipulated salary he is allowed to retain 50 per cent of all fees collected in excess of his salary.

For county clerk the provisions for salaries are made as follows. In counties of 5,000 population or less, \$500; 5,000 to 10,000, \$700; 10,000 to 15,000, \$1,000; 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,300; more than 18,000, \$1,600.

The county treasurer, from counties of 10,000 or less receives \$600, from 10,000 to 14,000, \$850, from 14,000 to 18,000, \$1,000, and in all counties in excess of 18,000 the salary under the new state government will be \$3,000.

The three county commissioners in each county will receive from \$180 to \$350 per year in accordance with the population of their different counties. The county superintendent of public instruction is allowed from \$500 to \$1,000 per annum, proportioned to the population of the county.

The salaries of the justices of the peace, constables and other township officers are all on a fee basis, and depend altogether on the amount of business transacted.

As the office of coroner is abolished it is probable that in counties of any size the office of justice of the peace will be given added importance from the fact that the duties of the coroner will devolve on those officers.

NEGRO SOLDIERS FOUND GUILTY BY COURT MARTIAL

Washington, March 26.—The senate committee on military affairs received from the secretary of war a copy of a telegram from Brig. Gen. McCaskey, commanding the department of Texas, concerning the Major Penrose court-martial. The telegram says that Penrose was exonerated, but that the court found that the "shooting up" of Brownsville was done by members of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry.

The following is the text of the telegram: "Major Gen. Ainsworth, Major Penrose was exonerated by the court-martial, but the court found that the shooting in Brownsville was done by the men of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry. Finding approved by me. McCaskey, Commander."

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HOSTS OF DEMOCRACY GATHERING AT TULSA

Tulsa, I. T., March 25.—The Democratic hosts of the new state are pouring into Tulsa tonight to assemble with the State central committee tomorrow. By morning it is estimated that between 1,000 and 1,200 will be in attendance.

Nearly every candidate seeking the Democratic nomination for a state office is on the ground with his friends, and while the committee's meeting is to determine a date for the primary election and construe its application, these details are overshadowed alone by the contests for Governor and for United States Senators.

The Governor's race is yet uncertain as to candidates. Lee Cruce of Ardmore, the first to announce for this office, is represented by his brother, A. C. Cruce, of Ardmore, and a large following from that end of the state, all wearing Cruce badges. The candidate is expected in person tomorrow.

Tom Doyle of Perry is not represented tonight.

The situation is somewhat unsettled by talk of C. N. Haskell of Muskogee entering the race, and his friends here tonight say he will make a defiant statement tomorrow. It is announced he is coming by special train, with a large following from the Creek and Cherokee Nations. Haskell has been a central figure in the Constitutional convention at Guthrie, of which he is a member, and since the recess has been making speeches in defense of the document.

The race for United States Senator is waxing warm, with eight candidates in the field. M. L. Turner of Oklahoma City, Col. Roy Hoffman of Chandler, Col. Robt. L. Owen of Muskogee, Henry M. Furman of Ada, and T. P. Gore of Lawton, are the candidates here tonight. The nominations of Senators by direct vote of the people, as proposed, being somewhat recent in

political procedure, adds interest to the occasion, and presents no little speculation in what construction the committee will give the primary method applying in this race. Three of the candidates are from Indian Territory and five from Oklahoma.

An informal meeting of committee-men and candidates' friends was held this afternoon without result. The most popular plan opens the race to the whole state and allows a plurality to nominate, with the provision, however that one nominee is to be from Indian Territory and one from Oklahoma. The idea of confining nominations to a majority vote, at the same time preserving representation to both sections of the state, is meeting with little favor as this would mean a second primary for the four highest candidates, in the event no two secured a majority. The Texas plan applied to the Senatorial race is mentioned, but not admired. It is desired that the people settle the contests without an opportunity remaining to throw them into a convention or the Legislature. The committee will more than likely apply the ruling in the Senatorial race to State officers as well.

Picched for Vagrancy.

Patrolman George Culver Sunday night pinched a negro woman and two negro men who were without visible means of support. One of the men escaped over on West Thirteenth. Hoping to stop him, the officer shot three times, but without avail. The fugitive, however, was apprehended the next day and all three were given appropriate fines for vagrancy.

In default both of money and a city rock pile they are languishing in the city bastle.

A convivially inclined Indian was assessed a dollar and costs in the Mayor's court.

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Under the proposed constitution the provisions regarding county officers contained in the Oklahoma statutes shall apply in the entire state, except that the office of coroner is abolished and the probate judge is made the county judge.

By the Oklahoma statutes the majority of the county officers are paid on a fee basis, so that the amount of each man's salary will vary with the amount of business transacted by his office.

The clerk of the district court, who has been appointed in the past, is one of the best paid officers in the territory.

The sheriff in each county is allowed certain fixed salaries, proportioned to the population of the county, and in addition thereto receives fees for certain services. With the advice and consent of the county commissioners, he is allowed to appoint such deputies and guards as are necessary for the proper administration of the office. In counties of 10,000 population or less he is allowed \$1,600 annually, over 10,000 and less than 15,000, \$2,000 per annum, 15,000 to 18,000, \$2,400. In all counties in excess of 18,000 population, the sheriff is allowed \$2,800.

The county judge, like the sheriff, is on a salary proportioned to the number of people in his bailiwick. In counties of 10,000 and less his salary is \$1,000. From 10,000 to 15,000 he is paid \$1,200. From 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,600 and in counties in excess of 18,000 population, \$2,000.

By a special provision in the constitution, the salary of the county judge and county attorney in counties of 10,000 population and over is fixed at \$1,000.

The register of deeds is allowed to retain the fees of his office up to certain limits fixed by population. His salary ranges from \$1,000 in counties of 10,000 and less, to \$2,000 where the population exceeds 18,000. In addition to this stipulated salary he is allowed to retain 50 per cent of all fees collected in excess of his salary.

For county clerk the provisions for salaries are made as follows. In counties of 5,000 population or less, \$500; 5,000 to 10,000, \$700; 10,000 to 15,000, \$1,000; 15,000 to 18,000, \$1,300; more than 18,000, \$1,600.

The county treasurer, from counties of 10,000 or less receives \$600, from 10,000 to 14,000, \$850, from 14,000 to 18,000, \$1,000, and in all counties in excess of 18,000 the salary under the new state government will be \$3,000.

The three county commissioners in each county will receive from \$180 to \$350 per year in accordance with the population of their different counties. The county superintendent of public instruction is allowed from \$500 to \$1,000 per annum, proportioned to the population of the county.

The salaries of the justices of the peace, constables and other township officers are all on a fee basis, and depend altogether on the amount of business transacted.

As the office of coroner is abolished it is probable that in counties of any size the office of justice of the peace will be given added importance from the fact that the duties of the coroner will devolve on those officers.

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HOSTS OF DEMOCRACY GATHERING AT TULSA

Tulsa, I. T., March 25.—The Democratic hosts of the new state are pouring into Tulsa tonight to assemble with the State central committee tomorrow. By morning it is estimated that between 1,000 and 1,200 will be in attendance.

Nearly every candidate seeking the Democratic nomination for a state office is on the ground with his friends, and while the committee's meeting is to determine a date for the primary election and construe its application, these details are overshadowed alone by the contests for Governor and for United States Senators.

The governor's race is yet uncertain as to candidates. Lee Cruce of Ardmore, the first to announce for this office, is represented by his brother, A. C. Cruce, of Ardmore, and a large following from that end of the state, all wearing Cruce badges. The candidate is expected in person tomorrow.

Tom Doyle of Perry is not represented tonight.

The situation is somewhat unsettled by talk of C. N. Haskell of Muskogee entering the race, and his friends here tonight say he will make a defiant statement tomorrow. It is announced he is coming by special train, with a large following from the Creek and Cherokee Nations. Haskell has been a central figure in the constitutional convention at Guthrie, of which he is a member, and since the recess has been making speeches in defense of the document.

The race for United States Senator is waxing warm, with eight candidates in the field. M. L. Turner of Oklahoma City, Col. Roy Hoffman of Chandler, Col. Robt. L. Owen of Muskogee, Henry M. Furman of Ada, and T. P. Gore of Lawton, are the candidates here tonight. The nominations of Senators by direct vote of the people, as proposed, being somewhat recent in political procedure, adds interest to the occasion, and presents no little speculation in what construction the committee will give the primary method applying in this race. Three of the candidates are from Indian Territory and five from Oklahoma.

An informal meeting of committee-men and candidates' friends was held this afternoon without result. The most popular plan opens the race to the whole state and allows a plurality to nominate, with the provision, however that one nominee is to be from Indian Territory and one from Oklahoma.

The idea of confining nominations to a majority vote, at the same time preserving representation to both sections of the state, is meeting with little favor as this would mean a second primary for the four highest candidates, in the event no two secured a majority. The Texas plan applied to the Senatorial race is mentioned, but not admired. It is desired that the people settle the contests without an opportunity remaining to throw them into a convention or the Legislature.

The committee will more than likely apply the ruling in the Senatorial race to State officers as well.

Picched for Vagrancy.

Patrolman George Culver Sunday night picched a negro woman and two negro men who were without visible means of support. One of the men escaped over on West Thirteenth. Hoping to stop him, the officer shot three times, but without avail. The fugitive, however, was apprehended the next day and all three were given appropriate fines for vagrancy.

In default both of money and a city rock pile they are languishing in the city bastle.

A convivially inclined Indian was assessed a dollar and costs in the Mayor's court.

NEGRO SOLDIERS FOUND GUILTY BY COURT MARTIAL

Washington, March 26.—The senate committee on military affairs received from the secretary of war a copy of a telegram from Brig. Gen. McCaskey, commanding the department of Texas, concerning the Major Penrose court-martial. The telegram says that Penrose was exonerated, but that the court found that the "shooting up" of Brownsville was done by members of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry.

The following is the text of the telegram:

"Major Gen. Ainsworth, Major Penrose was exonerated by the court-martial, but the court found that the shooting in Brownsville was done by the men of the Twenty-Fifth Infantry. Finding approved by me. McCaskey, Commander."

J. L. Tribble of Watertown, Tenn., is prospecting in the city.

CAPITOL HILL LOTS ON EASY PAYMENT PLAN

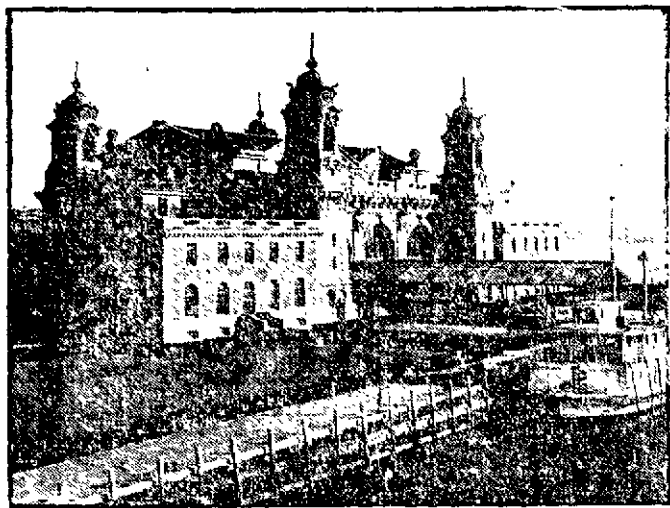
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PROFITABLE TO FARMERS.

BENEFIT GREATLY BY WORK OF AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Ahead \$231,000,000 Each Year, According to Estimate—Bureau of Animal Industry First—Showing Hens Their Duty Valuable.

Washington.—The people profit \$231,000,000 annually by the work of the agricultural department, according to the estimates of the bureau officials made public in the report of the committee on expenditures in the agricultural department, which has spent the entire session investigating the department.

The bureau of animal industry leads the list with an annual valuation of \$50,000,000, of which \$100,000 is because of the experiments making hens lay more plentifully.

Chief Willis J. Moore, of the weather bureau, says his bureau annually benefits the people \$10,000,000.

40,000 HORSES EATEN IN A YEAR.

Consumption Increases Fast in Paris and Is Aided by Doctors.

Paris.—According to official statistics 40,000 horses were eaten in Paris last year. This represents about 11,000,000 kilograms of horseflesh, as compared with the earlier figures of 1899, when a total of only 5,000,000 was eaten. This increase of the butcher's business in Paris seems to be growing rapidly, in view of the fact that the horse butcher is assuming the position of quite a respectable competitor with the beef butcher.

If the butcher's shop, with a pile of horseflesh on the floor, are numerous in certain quarters of the city, and the horse butchers are rapidly increasing in number in the market place. This is particularly the case in the well-to-do sections, and the fact of most parents the suggestion that the doctors are in league with the horse butchers.

Doctors are more and more recommending for certain patients, who are in need of food, a diet of horseflesh, and for persons whose constitutions are thoroughly run down with weakness stomachs they prescribe the pure horseflesh prepared under certain sanitary conditions, instead of the fresh meat itself.

At the markets during the last two or three hours each day from noon, women stand in line waiting their turn to be served by the horse butchers. They call for a piece of horseflesh, and being well versed on the matter of quality, are very particular in their selections. Some butchers make a specialty of mutton meat, which contains more fatty matter than horse meat.

No Cemetery for Cows.

Des Moines.—The bill for the incorporation of a cemetery for the burial of cows, which had been advanced to the third reading stage in the Iowa house, was last night considered to the graveyard when Representative Meek of Benton said:

"I thought this measure was a joke, but I finally began to believe that some men are taking it seriously. First, we have the burial ground for those poor, then, of course, why not mutton? Then the decoration of the graves of those poor, for the decoration of graves is entirely proper. And who knows but one of the rulers of this house might not be called on to officiate at the burial services?"

The house reversed its previous action and killed the bill, 52 to 71.

England's Navy Cheapest.

London.—Great Britain has the cheapest navy in the world, according to the report of Admiralty Secretary Roberts. It costs \$415 a ton. Russia's cost \$165 a ton. In ten years 1,132,295 tons have been added to the navy, while Russia, Germany and France together only added 1,082,800 tons. Two years hence Great Britain will have completed six new battleships, including three of the Dreadnought class and three armored cruisers of the Invincible class, while neither France nor Germany will have a single ship of those types completed.

survey appropriation was left out of the agricultural bill for the reason that the money asked was to be expended in "mapping districts in the United States which would make ideal homes for frogs."

The bureau of entomology thinks it saves the people \$22,000,000 a year, of which \$5,000,000 is because it was instrumental in the "introduction of the Australian lady-bird beetle."

The bureau of public roads is the most modest of all and only asserts it benefits the people \$873,000 a year.

The report severely criticizes Chief Moore, of the weather bureau, for his expenditures on "Mount Weather," the research institution which he established in the Blue Ridge mountains at a cost of \$161,000, for which Comptroller Tracewell says under existing law there is no authority.

Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, is criticized for expending his authority in expending the appropriation for the new department of agriculture building. Instead of completing a structure for the entire department he spent the money in building a single wing.

DEAF WILL ENJOY MUSIC.

French Doctor Declared to Have Wonderful Invention.

Paris.—An extraordinary invention appears to have been made by a French doctor, M. Dupont, according to a communication read to the Academy of Science by M. D'Arsonval. Dr. Dupont intended to invent a process by which the sensation of music could be conveyed to deaf mutes.

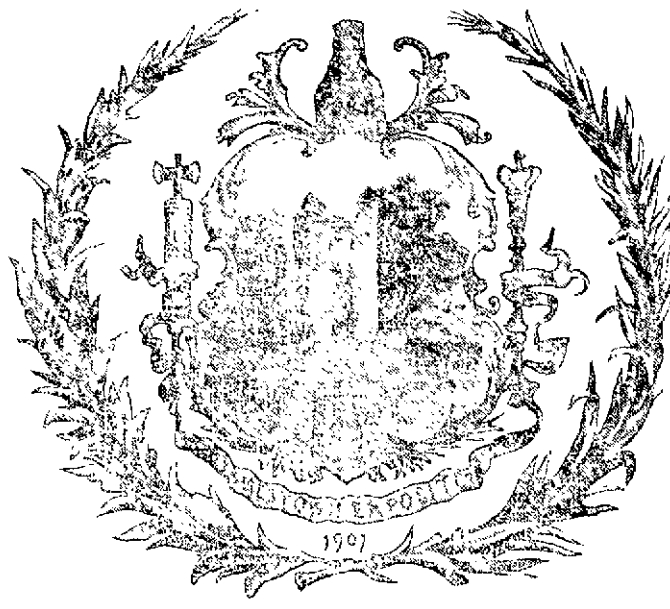
He devised an apparatus by which the number of vibrations in each musical note is conveyed through electric wires with alternating currents. The apparatus is attached to a microphone and musical sounds are transmitted to the body with extraordinary distinctness.

The feeling produced is said to be more delightful than when the notes are heard and not only deaf mutes but persons with good hearing declare that the sensation is positively delicious.

A city waltz produces unwanted blarney and every nerve and muscle in the body seems to dance from the effects of what might be appropriately described as a musical tickling machine.

One may look forward, therefore, to the time when one can feel as well as hear Mozart's operas or Beethoven's symphonies.

Official Seal of Jamestown Exposition



Buffalo Heads Expensive.

RELICS OF DEPARTED BISON ARE BECOMING VERY SCARCE.

Few of the Mounted Trophies of Almost Extinct Monarch of the Plains Are Now for Sale at Any Price.

Kansas City, Mo.—Mounted buffalo heads are becoming scarce. A buffalo head in good condition will sell readily for \$100 to \$1,200, according to size and condition.

And only 20 years ago thousands of them were left to rot upon the western plains.

Not many weeks ago Frank Rockefeller of Cleveland brought a buffalo head to Kansas City from his ranch in Kansas. He sold the head to a butcher, but the head and hide he sent to his home. It was a magnificent specimen.

"Mr. Rockefeller valued the head and hide at \$1,200," said A. Weber, "but it was not for sale at any price. The old buffalo weighed 2,500 pounds. Think of it! A buffalo head weighing more than a ton. A long beard hung from his chin and his coat was shaggy. But the buffalo was 27 years old."

Along in the late '70s officials of the Kansas Pacific railroad bought 38 buffalo heads that were shot on the plains of Kansas. A buffalo head was the road's trademark. These 38 specimens were handsomely mounted and distributed throughout the towns along the length of the road. Some of these heads are still seen in the offices of the Union Pacific railway. One is in the Kansas City ticket office at Ninth and Walnut streets.

"I do not know its value now,"

said Thomas A. Shaw, the assistant ticket agent. "But I should say \$1,000 would not buy it."

In the museum at the public library is the head of a big buffalo bull, which has a history. The animal was one which roamed the plains in the Panhandle of Texas, the leader of a herd. It was a sturdy brute when captured on the Goodnight ranch in 1876, and led in a car for Kansas City. A butcher who wished to supply some fancy meat for his customers, bought him and sent him to a packing plant to be killed. But the buffalo would not be killed. He looked a lesson in "buffaloing."

The old bull was driven into the killing chute. The man with the ax stood behind him, and swung a terrific blow squarely between the animal's eyes. But the old bull shook his shaggy head and belched. Again the executioner swung the ax. This time the bull objected to such thing and leaped from the chute.

"Bring a rifle," ordered the chief executioner, "and we'll shoot him."

The rifle was brought, but the bullets rattled off his hide like shells from armor plate.

"Lasso him," was then ordered. When the bull was down, he was again shot, but little damage was done. The butchers in desperation then wound the lariat about the old bull's neck and choked him to death. But he died game, fought until unconscious.

Sulphur Yellow in Vogue.

London.—According to the Drapers' Record sulphur yellow, which already has a vogue in Paris, will be the popular shade this year both for women's frocks and for household decorations.

THE SNOW FIGHTERS.

The word has come from the top of the range, where the pass is a mist of white.

That our foe is there in his rock-walled lair, and we try out our strength to-night.

The drifts lie thick 'twixt the canon's sides, with the rails far down below. And the call is come through for the rotary crew to come up and buck the snow.

Our foe is white, but with youthful strength, and he fights through the night and day.

And he never will quit in light pipe or spit, but he's there at his guns to stay.

And he catches the sliding snapping rails in a smothering, long embrace, and he laughs in his glee, though all silently, at the men who would storm his place.

But the snowplow roars like a madman's yell, as it charges the drifts, miles long.

And its whirling blades lay bare the tracks, and its song is the song of the stars.

And soon, from the crest of the continent, where the granite crags rise sheer, the cheer is flashed, when the foes have dashed, that the highway of steel is clear.

—Denver Independent.

"ALL ENGINEERS GET SCARED"

Not Often, but Their Nerve Deserts Them Sometimes.

"Does an engineer ever lose his nerve? Is he ever afraid to take his train out on the run?"

These questions were asked of an "old-timer," a grizzled veteran who has pulled limited trains for the past ten years. He never had a wreck and, to use his expression, he "never even threw a shoe."

"But," he says, "I've given the rails holdin' them shoes some awful wrenches."

He smiled when the questions were asked.

"You can't get one engineer in a thousand to admit he is ever scared," he said. "But, just the same, they do get scared, and they don't know why."

A man grows accustomed to pulling these eight-wheelers a mile a minute, doing it week in and week out. Then comes a time when something seems to say: 'Don't go out on that run to-night. Stay away.'

"And there you are. You'll shake your shoulders and say 'Bah! why not?' I'm not afraid! Just the same you watch every curve, every switch, every crossing, and your heart jumps when your engine strikes a bow joint. Sometimes the feeling stays with you for a week, and passes away. You don't know why, but all of a sudden it's gone. Then you'll whistle a tune when you climb into the cab and be as happy as a schoolboy. The road will seem smoother and your big machine working better. Maybe it's just a little feeling in your nerve."

"Some fellows would say it was a premonition that something would happen. Frequently trouble does come when you have these premonitions. And this fact, I presume, tends to make you more nervous. One of the latest men that ever pulled an engine was Lou Ward, who had the Prince train to Port Scott. He left every night at 2 o'clock with nothing but his engine, fuel car and coach. He pulled that little rabbit train sometimes 75 miles an hour."

"Lou! I said to him one night, 'That train will get you some of these times.'"

"Yes, I guess so," he said. "That's a good little train. I'm pulling, though, and he'll stick to the rails as long as any of 'em."

"Six months afterward his engine turned over at Lehigh. The steam and boiling water poured over him. They carried Lou to the hospital in a stretcher. In a few weeks he was dead. His engine ran him."

"What did that come day his death would be a week. And a broken rail run it."

Railroad Progress.

Expenditures of steam railroads for new rolling stock during the present year far surpass all previous records, according to returns collected by the Railway Gazette from car and locomotive building concerns in the United States and Canada. Freight cars in the number of 165,355 were turned out, passenger cars, 2,551, or a total of 167,906, comparing with only 62,956 last year and 61,547 in 1902, which led the previous high record. Not to these figures are added a considerable number of cars built by railroads in their own shops, which have been unusually active this year. The number of locomotives constructed is 5,991, compared with 3,411 last year, 5,152 in 1902, the most active year up to the present, and only 695 in the hard times year of 1893. At an average cost of \$1,000 per freight car, \$2,000 per passenger car and \$11,000 per locomotive, the aggregate expenditure of steam railroads on this account alone for a single year is \$260,186,000. We have here a partial explanation of the boom in the iron and steel industries.

Crows Stopped a Train.

A train was brought to a stand near Liverdon, in France, by the presence on the line of thousands of crows engaged in picking up the refuse thrown out of the restaurant car of the Strasburg express.

The birds were crushed in such numbers that the engine wheels skidded and the train was temporarily stopped.

Important Bridge Completed.

The bridge on the Cape to Cairo railway, over the Kalba river, 268 miles north of the Victoria Falls, has been completed, and the other day the first train passed over it.



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Interior of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church in New York City. This is the church attended by John D. Rockefeller, when he is in the city, and it is in these pews that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has his Bible class every Sunday. Rev. C. F. Aked, one of England's most famous preachers, has accepted a call to this church.

A PRISONER 50 YEARS.

JOHN WARREN'S FRIENDS WILL CELEBRATE IT DULY.

He Has Been in Wethersfield, Conn., Jail Half a Century and Is Florist of the Institution—Twice Tried to Get Away.

Hartford, Conn.—A golden anniversary to celebrate 50 years of incarceration is being planned for the first time in the history of the state prison at Wethersfield, and is said to be the only celebration of the kind ever known in the country. John Warren, the prison florist, will celebrate his fiftieth anniversary as an inmate of the prison in December next.

Warren has just passed his seventieth birthday. Twice since he was taken prisoner for the murder of his girl wife he has made a dash for liberty. 30 years apart, and both times he failed. For ten years he has been the model prisoner of the institution, and since he has had charge of the grounds and greenhouses of the prison he has never attempted to break jail.

Warren was the son of a Yankee farmer, Ziba Warren of Mansfield, and when a lad in his teens married Julia E. Towse of Belchertown, Mass., who still just passed her fiftieth birthday. Later he held her hand under two feet of water until she drowned. There was another woman in the case.

While awaiting trial in the Tolland jail he escaped and an investigation resulted in the discharge of the jailer.

Leads as a Paper Maker.

This Country the Greatest Producer, with Germany Following.

Washington.—Consul Wilhelm C. Teleman of Bremen advises that the German Government recently discussed the consumption of paper by the principal nations of the world as reflecting modern progress of civilization because of its extensive use for printing purposes. It places the United States in the front rank as the greatest paper-producing country of the world, with an annual output of 6,874,000 tons (rounded up). Germany follows with a production of 2,918,000 tons, England 2,500,000, France, 1,942, Austria, 1,150,000, Italy, 1,270,000.

One American corporation is declared to be the greatest paper manufacturing enterprise in the world, possessing 12 factories, with 96 continuous running machines, the company runs almost as many machines as are operated in Italy and the Netherlands, together, and its annual production exceeds that of all the paper factories in Austria-Hungary and almost equals that of the British one. Its capital amounts to more than \$110,000,000.

While America leads in production, Germany has become the largest exporter of this article, with 51,000 tons annually, England following with 19,210, the United States 16,880 and France 13,000. The United States' export goes principally to South America, but also to Canada and Australia. Notwithstanding its large production, England remains a good buyer, having imported 117,700 tons last year.

Regarding the direct consumption of paper, it is an interesting fact that the United States leads with an annual figure of 38.6 pounds per capita, England coming next with 31.3; Germany, 29.98; France, 29.5; Austria, 19.15; Italy, 15.1; Servia showing the lowest European figure, 1.1; India shows only 0.22 and China 1.1 per capita. Nearly all of the paper manufactured in the

For three months he lived in a hole dug under his father's barn. A threat to burn him out made him surrender. For 30 years he was a model prisoner. One night in August, 1886, he was missing at Wethersfield. Three days later a large plank in the floor of one of the new shops pointed the way of escape of Warren. A passage was found under the floor and this led to an old airshaft, but no trace of the missing prisoner was to be seen.

As the investigating party were about to retrace their steps one of the number stepped back, remarking: "Hold the lantern away and I'll empty my six shooter into the shaft."

"Hold on, don't shoot. I'll come out," said a weak voice in the dark hole. For three days Warren had lived in that shaft without water and with only the little food that he had stored in his pocket before his flight.

For the last few years Warren has developed a great love for his flowers. He knows all his plants and flowers by name and greedily reads all the books on botany that the state prison library affords. Occasionally he contributes a little article to the Monthly Record of the prison, in which he tells the other prisoners about his pet flowers. His conduct as a model prisoner entitles him to numerous privileges.

Some months ago Warren hoped to get out on reaching his seventieth birthday, but his effort to the hand of pardons was refused and he settled down again, prepared to spend his last days in the only home he has known for the last half a century.

world is used for printing purposes. Twenty per cent is absorbed in the trades and industries. Almost an equal proportion is applied for official and school purposes. The remaining ten per cent serves the demand for private use.

GROWS RICH AND AIDS WAIFS

Man, Once a Foundling, Devotes Fortune to Assist Others.

St. Joseph, Mo. Eugene Purdy, who was sent west in 1885 by the Children's Aid society of New York, one of a carload of waifs, and was adopted when eight or ten years old by Henry Purdy, a farmer of Chillicothe, Mo., returned from the Klondike last October with \$150,000 which he made in six years in gold mining.

He has now returned from the Children's Aid society that he had two brothers older than himself who were sent out for adoption by the society before he left the institution. He has a friend of a sister who once lived at Brimingham, N. Y., but he has been unable to get any trace of her.

"The first thing I want to do," Purdy says, "is to find my brothers and sister. After that I intend to devote some time to an investigation of what becomes of thousands of foundlings sent from New York to western cities. The society tries to keep in communication with them or with the people who take them, but communication ceases after a few years and nobody knows what becomes of them. I know from investigation I have already made that many of these unfortunate children go to the bad."

Whipping Post Again in Use. Baltimore.—The whipping post is to be revived in Maryland after having been in disuse for 20 years. Sadler Brooks, colored, was sentenced to receive nine lashes in addition to a jail sentence of two months for brutally beating his wife.

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For Supt. of Public Instruction
BASCOM T. LAWSON

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JOHN D. RINARD

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
W. H. NETTLES
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct
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SID RIEDEL

CITY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.
(Election Tuesday, April 2)

For Mayor
C. O. BARTON

For Alderman, 1st Ward
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M. D. TIMBERLAKE.

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For Alderman, 3rd Ward
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For Alderman, 4th Ward;
R. T. KERR
W. C. LEE.

For City Treasurer
S. W. HILL

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Recorder, Ass'r and Collector
JESSE WARREN

For City Marshal
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For Street Commissioner of Ada
E. S. COLLINS

THE FIRST SIGNS

Of Severe Kidney Trouble Are in the Back.

Take care of backache. A great many cases of kidney complaint are reported about here, also bladder trouble and rheumatism.

An authority once stated that pain in the back, loins, or region of the kidneys is the danger signal nature hands out to notify the sufferer that there is something wrong with the kidneys which should receive immediate attention. Only vegetable treatment should be administered and absolutely no strong alcoholic patent medicines, which are harmful to the kidneys and bladder.

The following prescription, while simple, harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract of Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This preparation is said to restore the natural function of the kidneys, so they will sift and strain the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, purifying it and relieving rheumatism. Backache will be relieved, the urine will be neutralized and cleared and no longer a cause of irritation, thereby overcoming such symptoms as weak bladder, painful, frequent and other urinary difficulties.

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of the Indian Territory.

In the matter of the (In Bankruptcy, Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt No. 37)

Notice is hereby given that I, James E. Webb, Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, of Francis, Indian Territory, a bankrupt in accordance with the order of the referee and subject to his confirmation, will sell the property of said bankrupt, consisting of a stock of dry goods, shoes, hardware and groceries, and the fixtures in connection therewith, which invoice \$3,015.91, at public auction on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1907, at 2 p. m., at the store house of the Frisco Mercantile Company, in Francis, Indian Territory, to the highest bidder for cash in hand. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The invoice of said goods and fixtures can be seen at my office in Ada, Indian Territory.

Witness my hand this 25th day of March, 1907. 4-1t 50-1t

JAMES E. WEBB,

Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt.

Boy Killed Near Atoka

Denison, Texas, March 26.—Clayton Crowley, a 12-year-old boy, was killed Sunday near Atoka on the Coalgate branch by a Katy freight train. The boy's head and both feet were cut off. It is supposed that he was trying to climb on the train and fell beneath the cars, as the engineer did not see him.

Great Fissure Afire

Sapulpa, I. T., March 25.—Half a mile from a gas well, three miles south-east of here, the earth opened today and gas escaped through a fissure half a mile long. It later caught fire and is burning tonight.

And There Was Light.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night four new arc lights were ordered installed: one each at the intersections of the M. K. & T. with Main and 9th streets; the other two to illuminate dark spots in the 4th ward.

Democrats at Stonewall

There was a big gathering of Democrats in Stonewall Monday night. D. H. Linebaugh and C. D. Carter, candidates for Congress, were the principal speakers. A number of Pontotoc county candidates were also on hand. There was a fine crowd and an abundance of enthusiasm.

Early Closing for Revival

On account of the Baptist revival now in progress 32 business houses today readily signed a circulated agreement to close doors, beginning this evening, at 7 p. m. This number practically includes all downtown houses except the drug stores and places of amusement.

McPherren Coming

Friends of Chas. E. McPherren, of Caddo, candidate for Congress, have been notified by him that he will address the voters of Ada Wednesday night. Ada people should make their arrangements to hear him. Mr. McPherren is an orator of repute and hearers may expect to be edified.

The Martins to Leave.

About the middle of April Dr. S. J. Martin intends moving back to his old Kentucky home, Bowling Green. Ada will be loath to lose the doctor and his estimable wife, for in many ways the family have endeared themselves in the hearts of our people. Miss Mollie Jernigan will probably remain in Ada till later in the summer.

The Event of the Season

OPERA HOUSE

—One Night Only—

Thursday, March 28th

J. E. Cline Presents

May Stewart

and a capable company in the great romantic drama.

"Ingomar"

The Barbarian.

Two souls with but a single thought. Two hearts that beat as one.

Beautiful, poetic and sensational. A play that appeals to all classes.

Seats Now On Sale

AT RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

WANT A BATH?

Then get a good clean one. Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS

After March 1st the subscription price for the OKLAHOMAN will be 45c per month, by carrier or at the Newsstand, OKLAHOMAN.



Are all selected for Oklahoma stock, the fine White Swan Pineapple Cakes are packed in a special vacuum packing, prepared by a new process that retains all of that luscious freshness, so loved by people who have eaten Pine Apples in the Tropics.

Every tin goes in cans packed under the White Swan Brand. If your grocer does not keep them, send us his name.

THE WAPLES-PLATTER GROCER CO.
Denison Ft. Worth Dallas



Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will steadily destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists. Price 75c, per bottle.

Take Kelly's Family Pills for constipation.

Watch This Space To-morrow Evening!

INDIAN OF MEXICO DODGE

Essentially a Man of Peace. He Wants to Be Let Alone.

The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Bountiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he wants is to be let alone. His polite and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back, or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and holding the child's hand between both his hands, deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And in the same unconscious and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day.

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold.

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald.

Her Reason.

"And does your mother kiss you every day when you come home from school?" "Yes, sir." "She must be very fond of you." "No; she wants to see if I've been smoking cigarettes."

Old Furniture Made New With Jap-a-lac

We have it in all the colors. Price 15c per can and up. Ready for use—dries quickly. Anybody can apply it. We also carry a complete line of house and carriage paints, Collier's White Lead and Linseed oil, brushes, etc.

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Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest, and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

IF I THE MARKET FOR A PIANO FIGURE WITH THEM

How About Your Tornado Insurance?

Do you carry any? Why not? Costs but a mere trifle and it makes your property ABSOLUTELY SAFE. Right now, you ought to attend to this matter. See us and have your property insured in a good reliable company—one that will pay its losses promptly. FIRE INSURANCE written in all standard companies. See us before you place your risks.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

12th and Broadway. R. O. WHEELER, Manager.

OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

Ada National Bank

Capital and Surplus, \$63,500. Ada, Ind. Ter

Put Your Loose Dollars on Deposit

Open an account with us—deposit all the cash you don't actually need and you will be surprised how your account will grow

IST NAT'L BANK

LOCAL NEWS

There are many tonics in the land. As by the papers you can see. But none of them can equal Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

Friends of Capt. Sam Hargis are glad to see him again on the street after a several weeks' confinement with pneumonia. The Captain fought the disease as valiantly as he did the Yankees and returned with better luck.

Mrs. W. M. P. Rippey, who has been with her son, Rev. I. L. Rippey, while his wife was away in Tennessee, left today for her home at Okmulgee.

W. M. Gaddis is here from Roff today.

V. C. Pally, A. A. Paust and J. E. Garrett, M. K. & T. bridge men and J. Farris of Stratford are registered today at the Dorland.

The secret of fashionable society is asked the question of a noted beauty specialist. In order to be round, rosy, plump, very pretty and stylish take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea 30 cents. G. M. Ramsey.

W. C. Castleberry brought to the News office this morning some of the finest strawberries the writer has seen this season. He says the berry crop is going to be exceptionally good as the berries are far advanced for this early date. Mr. Castleberry has many beautiful roses and other flowers and promises to bring this office a supply soon.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine, she is round plump and handsome in fact she is young again. 30 cents. Taylor Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

E. L. Steed left last afternoon on a trip to Kansas City.

G. Cleve Harris, now employed at Madill, visited home folk from Saturday till Tuesday. Henceforth he will keep in touch with his old home through The Evening News.

Mrs. Robt. Gamble of Oklahoma is visiting relatives in the city.

O. F. Meyers, of the treasurer's department, Pioneer Telephone Co., Oklahoma City, was here today on company business.

When you want the best meal in the city

come to the English Kitchen

We serve the best dinner in the city. Short Orders at all hours. Our kitchen always open for your inspection—you can watch your order cooked, and know that what you get is what you order. Don't forget the place—THE ENGLISH KITCHEN.

A traveling orchestra of rather urbane looking negroes from Coalgate is doing the town today. Young men had them out serenading last night.

M. Griffin O'Neil, the city's employed engineer in the waterworks construction arrived from Dallas today to spend two or three days inspecting the progress of the work.

Just received full line of latest spring styles of photographic goods. Don't fail to see them. Stall's Studio, Henley & Biles building, 32d St.

Mrs. Armstrong left today for a visit with friends at Greenville, Texas.

E. S. Rathiff was in Stonewall today. J. C. Cates returned to Stonewall today after interviewing a number of the sovereign voters.

Judge Hilton went down to capture Stonewall today.

D. W. Swaffar and family this morning returned to Stonewall.

The English Kitchen is having a spring renovation at the front and throughout the interior.

W. H. L. Campbell and J. P. Crawford were also among the Ada politicians who went to Tulsa last night.

J. D. Loooper received a letter from his brother, G. S. Loooper in the show business in Australia and known as Broncho George, which said he expected soon to sell out to start for America. It took the letter a month to get here.

Pete Rollow got a kick from Shawnee this morning.

May Stewart

In Ingomar at the opera house Thursday night, March 24th, will undoubtedly be an event that will attract a large fashionable house. In speaking of Miss Stewart's performance of Ingomar in Dallas, Texas, the Beau Monde of that place says: "The actor has seen several famous Parthenas but none more charming than Miss Stewart makes. She looks as well as acts the part. Charming, vivacious, sweet, winsome and full of courage of the character. She portrays with a naturalness that is delightful. She wears her Greek gowns with exceeding grace."

Attempted Burglary

Last Saturday night when C. C. Price returned from the scene where Will Hays was crushed in the train he found an unknown party trying to effect entrance into his home. The would-be burglar was frightened away and left a very hasty retreat. Mr. Price thinks he knows who it was.

IT MEANS FURMAN FOR SENATOR

Will Be Blanket Primary; Plurality of People's Votes to Control.

Special to The News. Tulsa, I. T., March 26, 4 p. m.—At the meeting here today of the State Democratic Central Committee at least 200 visiting democrats are in attendance and much enthusiasm prevails.

Naturally candidates and their lieutenants are numerous. It is said the Oklahoma politicians are in control of the committee.

It will be a blanket primary for nominations of all officers including U. S. Senators. This is considered a movement in the interest of Cruce for governor. Robt. L. Williams of Durant authorized announcement of himself for the supreme bench. It appears certain Haskell will run for governor.

Judge Furman received a great ovation. The blanket primary now a certainty, his election is now conceded by all but his political foes.

A big banquet tendered by Tulsa is in store for the guests tonight.

CAVE ROBBERS HORSELAUGH

Engineer Pulled Wide the Throttle and Passed Them Up.

Tulsa, I. T., March 26. Don't stop at Kiefer, robbers preparing for a hold up, read a message which the operator handed the conductor of a Fitco east-bound passenger at Mounds last night. Hearing the warning the conductor gave the engineer notice to open the throttle wide when Kiefer was sighted and the train dashed through there at the rate of a mile a minute.

The robbers were seen about a half mile east of the station. Many of the passengers had been informed of what was expected, secreted their valuables and crouched under the seats. The would-be train robbers after the train had passed returned held up a gambling house in Kiefer and fled.

Strayed

One light tan blood-faced mare about 5 years old, about 13 hands high, brand J. T. on left shoulder, shod all around, \$100 reward. Please notify J. H. Bullock, box 17, Ada, I. T., 32d St.

Improper action of the kidneys causes backache, lumbago, rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney remedy that will relieve these diseases. Pleasant to take and guarantees complete satisfaction or money refunded. Relief in every case. Sold by G. M. Ramsey, drug store.

Would Enjoin Election Board

Guthrie, Okla., March 24.—Horace Speed, former United States district attorney, filed suit in the district court here last night for Joseph J. Adams, a citizen tax payer of Greer county, asking an injunction restraining the supreme election board as created by the constitutional convention from taking any action whatever toward holding the election on August 1 for submitting the constitution to the people from appointing any election officers from furnishing books, supplies and papers for the election, and from doing any of the things placed in their authority by the convention.

The election board is held illegal because it takes from the rightful election board under the Oklahoma election law which is extended over Indian Territory, by the enabling act, the duties which belong to the governor and secretary of Oklahoma as constituting such board.

The county election boards as to be named by the supreme election board are held illegal because taking from the county clerk and county commissioners the duties belonging to them as election commissioners.

The election inspectors named by the supreme election board are held illegal because they usurp the duties belonging under the laws to township trustees.

It is set forth too that the legislative apportionment made by the convention is wrong and illegal, because some districts are made for a population of five hundred to six hundred voters while others have as high as three thousand voters within them thus showing the disfranchisement practically of many voters.

The action of the convention is held in violation of the enabling act in dividing those counties in Oklahoma that are mentioned by names as constituting certain congressional districts. It is finally held that the division of Greer county in particular was without legislative authority and will result to the great and lasting damage of the county and to the irreparable injury of the county and the tax payers thereof, lessening the valuation of property within the county.

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GALBRAITH & McKEOWN
LAWYERS
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Office Hours 8 to 12, 1 to 5:30

DAWES COMMISSION CAR
Coming Wednesday to Deliver Patents to Indians.

To the southbound M. K. & T. today was attached the special combination car bearing the large volume of Chickasaw and Choctaw land patents yet to be delivered.

The car will stop at Stonewall and remain 24 hours. About noon Wednesday it will return to Ada and remain here till Thursday night.

The employees in charge stated to The News reporter that the deeds are being delivered fast.

Railroad Time Table

FRISCO

GOING SOUTH
Meteor Sherman Express 8:07 am
Texas Passenger 10:23 am
7:23 pm

GOING NORTH
Meteor St. L. & K. C. Express 5:02 pm
Eastern Express 11:50 pm
9:40 am

M. K. & T.

GOING SOUTH
Passenger Local 11:10 am
1:55 pm

GOING NORTH
Passenger Local 3:55 pm
12:15 pm

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL R. R.

GOING EAST
Passenger 3:30 pm

GOING WEST
Passenger 11:05 am

Francis Man in the Toils
Denver, March 26.—H. H. White, a banker of Francis I. T., has been brought to Denver from Silverton, Col., and placed in the county jail by Deputy United States Marshal Clark to await his return to the territory on the charge of embezzling ten shares of stock of the Francis Bank. The stock was in the name of Macey Noble. It is said an officer from Ardmore, I. T., is on his way here.

Off to Tulsa.
W. H. Ebe, T. D. McKeown, Reuben M. Roddie and Otis B. Weaver left last night for Tulsa to attend the big Democratic meeting today, where it will probably be decided what sort of a state primary we shall have.

HAMMOCKS

Mean solid comfort during the coming hot weather

We have a nice assortment of exceptionally good values in hammocks ranging in price from \$1 to \$15.00. Allow us to show you.

MASON DRUG CO.

The Progressive Pharmacists
Phone 44.

We have sold all our brick on hand but if you or your friends are going to build you run no risk in placing your order with us. We make brick now at the rate of 20,000 per day, and we are preparing to make anything you want in the line of burnt clay ware. Our circular letter to users of building material in clay ware will be ready in a few days. Write for it.

ADA PRESSED BRICK & TILE CO.

Buy a home

IN THE BEAUTIFUL

Sunrise

ADDITION

This addition is the choicest residence district in Ada and no other location offers the advantages of SUNRISE. Just the right distance from the business district—the place to build a substantial home on a small investment. Values are steadily advancing. You must see this beautiful addition before you decide on a location and we will be glad to show you these lots at any time. Come in and talk it over before values advance.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

12th and Broadway

R. O. WHEELER Manager

The Nickel Store

Why Pay More?

Why pay big profits when the

Nickel Store

is satisfied with small ones. This store made low prices possible in many lines. Hundreds of pleased customers have told their story of quality and price. One price to all, and that the lowest cash price. Quick sales and small profits.

GARDEN SEEDS.

Choice new crop 1907 seeds, the large full weight packages, 2 for 5c. We also sell everything in the line of bulk seeds at half the usual prices.

LAMPS

Usually merchants expect to make big profits on lamps. We like profits but we prefer small ones and lots of business. Size up our lamp bargains, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c.

Big Bargains in Hardware and Enamelware

10 quart Enamel Buckets 7c values for 50c. 14 qt. Enamel Dish Pans for 50c. 7 qt. Enamel Tea Kettles for 60c. 2 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 10c. 5 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 15c.

FILES. All first class hand saw files, 3 1/4, 4, 4 1/4, for 1c each.

Flat files—6 inch 8c, 8 inch 10c, 10 inch 15c or 2 for 20c.

Shoe Tacks—1 lb. boxes—Brass shoe nails, 4c.

Hammers—First class steel nail hammers 4c, tack hammers 5c and 10c. Tacks—Carpenter tacks, 500 count, 5c per box.

Bargains in Stoneware

Milk Crock, 1 gal. size 6c. 2 gal. size 12c. Milk tall jars 1 gal. size 6c, 2 gal. size 12c.

FINE CHINAWARE

Salad Dishes usually sold at 50c, for 25c. Bread dishes, unusually nice lot, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Cups and Saucers, gold decorated, semi porcelain, 60c a set. Dinner Plates of same goods, 60c a set.

Dishes, Bakers, Bowl, Platters, Pitchers, etc. We are selling this high-grade ware as cheap as the plain white is usually sold for.

All over the store you will find new goods, all at fair prices. Hundreds of real bargains. Clean cut snaps. We respect fully invite you to call, whether you wish to buy or not.

The Nickel Store

5c and 10c Store of Ada

S. M. SHAW, Prop.

LA FRANCE SHOE For Women

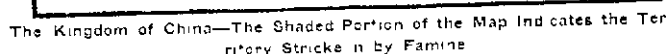
What can be more satisfying than the knowledge of being becomingly dressed—especially on Easter Sunday? Secure a pair of La France shoes, and, so far as footwear is concerned, this satisfaction will be yours. Right here at the store there is now being exhibited an assortment of the La France spring and Easter models, every pair of which is a pleasing example of best shoe making. No matter what style or finish you ask to see—or how exacting your demands—there's a La France that will appeal to your judgment and give the desired appearance and comfort to your foot.

Among other La France advantages you should not fail to see the new Flexible Welt shoe—More comfortable than a turn.

S. E. Chapman
ADA, I. T.

\$3.00
and \$3.50

**Incredible Scenes of Hardship
---Disease Adds Its Horror to
that of Hunger---Many Months
of Suffering and Death Ahead
---America Appealed to for Aid.**



So pitiful are these calamities that the voices of the starving peasants have been heard around the world. America has been among the first and most generous in appreciating the dire need and in giving of her prosperity. But all that has been given as yet has scarcely touched the fringe of the fam-ne-stricken districts.

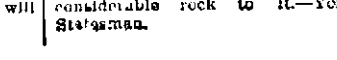
The Chinese poet As the Chinese winter catches its hold it may be said that the Chinese must die and expose their bodies to human suffering, but of how many thousands must die that the turn will last for a million years to come is a certainty. With all this, my dear friend, I feel that the poet is right and

To the children of the first months of a state in which slaves were in captivity from the time of the Revolution until the buildings had all with their old patches like worn old like the old as the water looked through the present we had to find them and with the much water up their animals to reach the bird

Then came reports of pitiful episodes, peculiarly oriental in their nature. So intense did the suffering become that many sought death. Parents killed their children by throwing them into the water, then took th

Norwegian Whalers
The Norwegians have whaling establishments in Iceland, Scotland, South America, Japan and elsewhere.

stand, not make its appearance.
where.



kers' much do you want?—Chicago Daily News

Where the Emigrant Lands



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Magnificent building at Ellis Island through which all aliens must pass and where they must undergo a rigid and thorough inspection and examination as to their qualifications before they are allowed to land in the United States.

PROFITABLE TO FARMERS.

BENEFIT GREATLY BY WORK OF AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Ahead \$231,000,000 Each Year, According to Estimate—Bureau of Animal Industry First—Showing Hens Their Duty Valuable.

Washington.—The people profit \$231,000,000 annually by the work of the agricultural department, according to the estimates of the bureau officials made public in the report of the committee on expenditures in the agricultural department, which has spent the entire session investigating the department.

The bureau of animal industry leads the list with an annual valuation of \$50,000,000, of which \$100,000 is because of the experiments making hens lay more plentifully.

Chief Willis J. Moore, of the weather bureau, says his bureau annually benefits the people \$10,000,000.

The bureau of plant industry places its value at \$29,000,000. Of this, \$100,000 is because of the saving by introducing the resistant cow pea.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, of the bureau of chemistry, thinks his office does \$10,000,000 of good. He places the investigation of sorghum syrup, the saving from the investigation of the sugar beet and the utilization of waste in making a refined alcohol at \$1,000,000 each. He estimates the value of his "poison squad" experiments in determining the effects on health of food preservatives and coloring matter at \$5,000,000. Dr. Wiley thinks his investigation of the "sweet" or "hot" corn industry is worth annually \$250,000.

The bureau of biology, which in support of its estimate that it annually benefits the people \$3,000,000, submitted beautiful orange-colored maps labeled "skunk" areas of the United States," asserts that \$1,500,000 benefits the people from its work among "coyotes and wolves." The biological

survey appropriation was left out of the agricultural bill for the reason that the money asked was to be expended in "mapping districts in the United States which would make ideal homes for frogs."

The bureau of entomology thinks it saves the people \$22,000,000 a year, of which \$5,000,000 is because it was instrumental in the "introduction of the Australian lady-bird beetle."

The bureau of public lands is the most modest of all and only asserts it benefits the people \$732,000 a year.

The report severely criticizes Chief Moore, of the weather bureau, for his expenditures on "Mount Weather," the research institution which he established in the Blue Ridge mountains at a cost of \$161,000, for which Comptroller Tracwell says under existing law there is no authority.

Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, is criticized for exceeding his authority in expending the appropriation for the new department of agriculture buildings. Instead of completing a structure for the entire department he spent the money in building a single wing.

DEAF WILL ENJOY MUSIC.

French Doctor Declared to Have Wonderful Invention.

Paris.—An extraordinary invention appears to have been made by a French doctor, M. Dupont, according to a communication read to the Academy of Science by M. D'Arsonval. Dr. Dupont intended to invent a process by which the sensation of music could be conveyed to deaf mutes.

He devised an apparatus by which the number of vibrations in each musical note is conveyed through electric wires with alternating currents. The apparatus is attached to a microphone and musical sounds are transmitted to the body with extraordinary distinctness.

The feeling produced is said to be more delightful than when the notes are heard, and not only deaf mutes but persons with good hearing declare that the sensation is positively delicious.

A tiny watch produces untold hilarity and every nerve and muscle in the body seems to dance from the force of what might be appropriately described as a musical tickling machine.

One may look forward, therefore, to the time when one can feel as well as hear Mozart's operas or Beethoven's symphonies.

THE SNOW FIGHTERS.

The word has come from the top of the range, where the pass is a mist of white.

That our foe is there in his rock walled lair, and we try out our strength to-night.

The drifts lie thick 'twixt the cannon's sides, with the rails far down below, and the rail is come through for the rotary crew to come up and buck the snow.

Our foe is white, but with youthful strength, and he fights through the night and day, and he never will quit to light pipe or spit, but he's there at his guns to slay.

And he catches the stinging snapping rails in a smothering, long embrace, and he laughs in his glee, though all silently, at the men who would storm his place.

But the snowplow roars like a maddened bull, as it charges the drifts, milder bugs.

And its whirling blades lay bare the grades, and its song is the song of the strong.

And seen, from the crest of the continent, where the granite crags rise sheer,

The cheer is dashed, when the fuses have flashed, that the highway of steel is clear.

—Denver Republican.

"ALL ENGINEERS GET SCARED"

Not Often, but Their Nerve Deserts Them Sometimes.

"Does an engineer ever lose his nerve? Is he ever afraid to take his train out on the run?"

These questions were asked of an "old-timer," a grizzled veteran who has pulled limited trains for the past ten years. He never had a wreck and, to use his expression, he "never even threw a shoe."

"But," he says, "I've given the nails holdin' them shoes some awful wrenches."

He smiled when the questions were asked.

"You can't get one engineer in a thousand to admit he is ever scared," he said. "But, just the same, they do get scared, and they don't know why."

A man grows accustomed to pulling these eight-wheelers a mile a minute, doing it week in and week out. Then comes a time when something seems to say: "Don't go out on that run to-night. Stay away."

"And there you are. You'll shake your shoulders and say 'fah! why not?' I'm not afraid." Just the same you watch every curve, every switch light, every crossing, and your heart jumps when your engine strikes a low joint. Sometimes the feeling stays with you for a week, and passes away.

You don't know why, but all of a sudden it's gone. Then you'll whistle a tune when you climb into the cab and be as happy as a schoolboy. The road will seem smoother and your big machine working better. Maybe it's just a little falling in your nerve.

"Some folks would say it was a premonition that something would happen. Presently trouble does come when you have these premonitions. And this fact, I presume, tends to make you more nervous. One of the greatest men that ever pulled an engine was Lou Ward, who had the Pioneer from Port Smith. He left every night at 2 to clock with nothing but his engine, and out and coach he pulled that little rabbit train sometimes 75 miles an hour.

"Lou" I said to him one night, "Gat train will get you some of these times."

"Yes, I guess so," he said. "That's a good time to be in the pullin' house, and she'll stick to the rails as long as any of 'em."

"Six months afterward his engine turned over at Lakota. The steam and boiling water poured over him. They carried Lou to the hospital in Springfield. In a few weeks he was dead. His engine ran him."

"Want all that same day his little girl would be a wreck. And a broken rail can do it."

Railroad Progress.

Expenditures of steam railroads for new rolling stock during the present year far surpass all previous records, according to returns collected by the Railway Gazette from car and locomotive building concerns in the United States and Canada. Freight cars to the number of 165,455 were turned out, passenger cars, 2,554, or a total of 168,009, comparing with only 62,508 last year and 101,512 in 1902, which set the previous high record. Nor are these figures into account the number of cars built by railroads in their own shops, which have been unusually active this year.

The number of locomotives constructed is 5,491, compared with 3,411 last year, 5,152 in 1902, the most active year up to the present, and only 495 in the hard times year of 1891. At an average cost of \$10,000 per freight car, \$7,000 per passenger car and \$11,000 per locomotive, the aggregate expenditure of steam railroads on this account alone for a single year is \$260,184,000. We have here a partial explanation of the boom in the iron and steel industries.

Crows Stopped a Train.

A train was brought to a stand near Liverdon, in France, by the presence on the line of thousands of crows engaged in picking up the refuse thrown out of the restaurant car of the Strasbourg express.

The birds were crushed in such numbers that the engine wheels skidded and the train was temporarily stopped.

Important Bridge Completed.

The bridge on the Cape to Cairo railway, over the Kalna river, 265 miles north of the Victoria Falls, has been completed, and the other day the first train passed over it.

Where Rockefeller Worships.



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Interior of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church in New York City. This is the church attended by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has his Bible class every Sunday. Rev. C. F. Aked, one of England's most famous preachers, has accepted a call to this church.

A PRISONER 50 YEARS.

JOHN WARREN'S FRIENDS WILL CELEBRATE IT DULY.

He Has Been in Wethersfield, Conn., Jail Half a Century and Is Florist of the Institution—Twice Tried to Get Away.

Hartford, Conn.—A golden anniversary is being planned for the first time in the history of the state prison at Wethersfield, and is said to be the only celebration of the kind ever known in the country. John Warren, the prison florist, will celebrate his fiftieth anniversary as an inmate of the prison in December next.

Warren has just passed his seventieth birthday. Twice since he was taken prisoner for the murder of his girl wife he has made a dash for liberty, 50 years apart, and both times he failed. For ten years he has been the model prisoner of the institution and since he has had charge of the grounds and greenhouses of the prison he has never attempted to break out.

Warren was the son of a Yankee farmer, John Warren of Mansfield, and when a lad in his teens married Julia E. Towne of Belchertown, Mass., who had just passed her fiftieth birthday. Later he held her head under water for a few minutes and she drowned. There was another woman in the case.

While awaiting trial in the Tolland jail he escaped and an investigation resulted in the discharge of the jailer.

For three months he lived in a hole dug under his father's barn. A threat to burn him out made him surrender. For 30 years he was a model prisoner. One night in August, 1886, he was missing at rollcall. Three days later a horse plank in the floor of one of the new shops pointed the way of escape of Warren. A passage was found under the floor and this led to an old airshaft, but no trace of the missing prisoner was to be seen.

As the investigating party were about to retrace their steps one of the number stepped back, remarking: "Hold the lantern away and I'll empty my six shooter into the shaft."

"Hold on, don't shoot. I'll come out," said a weak voice in the dark hole. For three days Warren had lived in that shaft without water and with only the little food that he had stored in his pocket before his flight.

For the last few years Warren has developed a great love for his flowers. He knows all his plants and flowers by name and greedily reads all the books on botany that the state prison library affords. Occasionally he contributes a little article to the Monthly Record of the prison, in which he tells the other prisoners about his pet flowers. His conduct as a model prisoner entitles him to numerous privileges.

Some months ago Warren hoped to get out on parole his seventieth birthday, but his petition to the board of pardons was refused and he settled down again, prepared to spend his last days in the only home he has known for the last half a century.

Leads as a Paper Maker.

This Country the Greatest Producer, with Germany Following.

Washington.—Consul William C. Telephman at Eisenack advises that the Verein Schenckel recently discussed the consumption of paper by the principal nations of the world as reflecting modern progress of civilization because of its extensive use for printing purposes. It places the United States in the front rank as the greatest paper-producing country of the world, with an annual output of 629,714 tons (approximately). Germany follows with a production of 391,683 tons, England 216,051, France, 199,532, Austria, 117,506, Italy, 123,266.

One American corporation is declared to be the greatest paper manufacturing enterprise in the world, possessing 11 factories, with 96 continuous running machines, the company being almost as many machines as are operated in Italy and the Netherlands together, and its annual production exceeds that of all the paper factories in Austria-Hungary and all the rest of the world combined. Its capital amounts to more than \$110,000,000.

While America leads in production, Germany has become the largest exporter of this article, with 51,000 tons annually, England following with 49,210, the United States 16,880 and France 13,900. The United States export goes principally to South America, but also to Canada and Australia. Notwithstanding its large production England remains a good buyer, having imported 117,700 tons last year.

Regarding the direct consumption of paper, it is an interesting fact that the United States leads with an annual figure of 38.6 pounds per capita, England coming next with 31.5; Germany, 29.98; France, 20.5; Austria, 19; Italy, 15.1; Serbia showing the lowest European figure, 1.1; India shows only 0.22 and China 1.1 per capita. Nearly all the paper manufactured in the

world is used for printing purposes. Twenty per cent is absorbed in the trades and industries. Almost an equal proportion is applied for official and school purposes. The remaining ten per cent serves the demand for private use.

CROWS RICH AND AIDS WAIFS
Man, Once a Foundling, Devotes Fortune to Assist Others.

St. Joseph, Mo. Eugene Parry, who was sent west in 1885 by the Catholic A. L. Society of New York, one of a class of waifs, and was adopted when eight or ten years old by Henry McGinnis, a farmer of Chillicothe, Mo., returned from the Klondike last October with \$10,000 which he made in six years in gold mining.

He has now founded on the Chillicothe A. L. Society that he had two brothers older than himself who were sent out for adoption by the society before he left the institution. He has a big heart of a sister who once lived at Binghamton, N. Y., but he has been unable to get any trace of her.

"The first thing I want to do," Parry says, "is to find my brothers and sister. After that I intend to devote some time to an investigation of what becomes of thousands of foundlings sent from New York to western cities. The society tries to keep in communication with them or with the people who take them, but communication ceases after a few years and nobody knows what becomes of them. I know from investigation I have already made that many of these unfortunate children go to the bad."

Whipping Post Again in Use.

Baltimore.—The whipping post is to be revived in Maryland after having been in disuse for 20 years. Sadler Brooks, colored, was sentenced to receive nine lashes in addition to a jail sentence of two months for brutally beating his wife.

40,000 HORSES EATEN IN A YEAR.

Consumption Increases Fast in Paris and Is Aided by Doctors.

Paris.—According to official statistics 40,000 horses were eaten in Paris last year. This represents about 10,000,000 kilograms of horseflesh, as compared with the earlier figures of 1899, when a total of only 5,000,000 was eaten. This branch of the butcher's business in Paris seems to be growing rapidly in favor, so that the horse butcher is assuming the position of quite a respectable competitor with the rest of butchers.

It is horse butchers' slang, with a little extra horse-flesh added, to say that a horse is a certain quality of horseflesh, and horse butchers are rapidly increasing in number in the market place. This is particularly the case in the west of Paris, and the fact of most, perhaps the success of the horse butchers in league with the horse butchers.

Doctors are more and more recommending to certain patients who are in need of bulk in their diet that they eat a bit of horse-flesh, and for persons whose constitutions are thoroughly run down with work and stomachs that proscribe the juice of horse-flesh prepared under certain sanitary conditions, instead of the fresh meat itself.

At the markets during the early morning hours each day men and women stand in line waiting their turn to be served by the horse butchers. They call for a piece of horse-flesh, and, being well versed on the matter of quality, are very particular in their selection. So the butchers make a specialty of high meat, which contains more fatty matter than horse meat.

No Cemetery for Cats.

London.—The bill for the incorporation of a cemetery for the burial of cats, which had been advanced to the third reading stage in the House of Commons, was last night resigned to the graveyard when Representative Mack of Boston sailed.

"I thought this measure was a joke, but I really began to believe that some men are taking it seriously. First, we have the burial ground for these cats. Then, of course, why not funerals? Then the decoration of the graves of these poor, for the decoration of graves is entirely proper. And who knows but one of the misdeeds of this house might not be called on to participate at the burial services?"

The house reversed its previous action and killed the bill, 52 to 71.

England's Navy Cheapest.

London.—Great Britain has the cheapest navy in the world, according to the report of Admiralty Secretary Roberts. It costs \$415 a ton. Russia's cost \$165 a ton. In ten years 1,132,235 tons have been added to the navy, while Russia, Germany and France together only added 1,135,280 tons. Two years hence Great Britain will have completed six new battle-ships, including three of the Dreadnought class and three armored cruisers of the Invincible class, while neither France nor Germany will have a single ship of those types completed.



Buffalo Heads Expensive.

RELICS OF DEPARTED BISON ARE BECOMING VERY SCARCE.

Few of the Mounted Trophies of Almost Extinct Monarch of the Plains Are Now for Sale at Any Price.

Kansas City, Mo.—Mounted buffalo heads are becoming scarce. A buffalo head in good condition will sell readily for \$150 to \$1,200, according to size and condition.

And only 50 years ago thousands of them were left to rot upon the western plains.

Not many weeks ago Frank Rockefeller of Cleveland brought a buffalo head to Kansas City from his ranch in Kansas. He sold the head to a butcher for \$100. It was a magnificent specimen.

"Mr Rockefeller valued the head and hide at \$1,200," said A. Weller, "but it was not for sale at any price. The old buffalo weighed 2,500 pounds. Think of it! A buffalo head weighing more than a ton. A long beard hung from his chin and his coat was shaggy. But the buffalo was 27 years old."

Along in the late '70s officials of the Kansas Pacific railroad bought 38 buffaloes that were shot on the plains of Kansas. A buffalo head was the road's trademark. These 38 specimens were handsomely mounted and distributed throughout the towns along the length of the road. Some of these heads are still seen in the offices of the Union Pacific railway. One is in the Kansas City ticket office at Ninth and Walnut streets.

"I do not know its value now,"

said Thomas A. Shaw, the assistant ticket agent. "But I should say \$1,000 would not buy it."

In the museum at the public library is the head of a big buffalo bull, which has a history. The animal was one which roamed the plains in the Pawnee tribe of Texas, the head of a head. It was a surety bond when captured on the Goodrich ranch in 1879, and located in a car for Kansas City. A butcher, who wished to supply some forty men for his customers, bought the head and sent him to a parking place to be killed. But the buffalo taught the butcher a lesson in "buffaloing."

The old bull was driven into the killing chute. The man with the ax started himself, and swung a terrific blow squarely between the animal's eyes. But the old bull shook his shaggy head and bellowed. Again the butcher swung the ax. This time the bull objected to such thing and leaped from the chute.

"Bring a rifle," ordered the chief executioner, "and we'll shoot him."

The rifle was brought, but the bullets rattled off his hide like shells from armor plate.

"Loose him!" was then ordered.

When the bull was down, he was again shot, but little damage was done. The butchers, in desperation then wound the train about the old bull's neck and choked him to death. But he died game, fought until unconscious.

Sulphur Yellow in Vogue.

London.—According to the Drapers' Record sulphur yellow, which already has a vogue in Paris, will be the popular shade this year both for women's frocks and for household decorations.

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CITY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.
(Election Tuesday, April 2)

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S. W. HILL

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Recorder, Ass'r and Collector
JESSE WARREN

For City Marshal
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For Street Commissioner of Ada
E. S. COLLINS

THE FIRST SIGNS

Of Severe Kidney Trouble Are in the Back.

Take care of backache. A great many cases of kidney complaint are reported about here, also bladder trouble and rheumatism.

An authority once stated that pain in the back, loins, or region of the kidneys is the danger signal nature hangs out to notify the sufferer that there is something wrong with the kidneys which should receive immediate attention. Only vegetable treatment should be administered and absolutely no strong alcoholic patent medicines, which are harmful to the kidneys and bladder.

The following prescription, while simple, harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract of Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This preparation is said to restore the natural function of the kidneys, so they will sift and strain the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, purifying it and relieving rheumatism. Backache will be relieved, the urine will be neutralized and cleared and no longer a cause of irritation, thereby overcoming such symptoms as weak bladder, painful, frequent and other urinary difficulties.

Notice of Trustee's Sale.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of the Indian Territory.

In the matter of the Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt No. 37.

Notice is hereby given that I, James E. Webb, Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, of Francis, Indian Territory, a bankrupt in accordance with the order of the referee and subject to his confirmation, will sell the property of said bankrupt, consisting of a stock of dry goods, shoes, hardware and groceries, and the fixtures in connection therewith; which invoice \$3,015.91, at public auction on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1907, at 2 p. m., at the store house of the Frisco Mercantile Company, in Francis, Indian Territory, to the highest bidder for cash in hand. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. The invoice of said goods and fixtures can be seen at my office in Ada, Indian Territory. Witness my hand this 25th day of March, 1907. 4-1t 50-1t

JAMES E. WEBB.

Trustee of the estate of the Frisco Mercantile Company, Bankrupt.

Boy Killed Near Atoka

Denison, Texas, March 26.—Clayton Crowley, a 12-year-old boy, was killed Sunday near Atoka on the Coalgate branch by a Katy freight train. The boy's head and both feet were cut off. It is supposed that he was trying to climb on the train and fell beneath the cars, as the engineer did not see him.

Great Fissure Afire

Sapulpa, I. T., March 26.—Half a mile from a gas well, three miles south-east of here, the earth opened today and gas escaped through a fissure half a mile long. It later caught fire and is burning tonight.

And There Was Light.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night four new lights were ordered installed: one each at the intersections of the M. K. & T. with Main and 9th streets; the other two to illuminate dark spots in the 4th ward.

Democrats at Stonewall

There was a big gathering of Democrats in Stonewall Monday night. D. H. Linebaugh and C. D. Carter, candidates for Congress, were the principal speakers. A number of Pontotoc county candidates were also on hand. There was a fine crowd and an abundance of enthusiasm.

Early Closing for Revival

On account of the Baptist revival now in progress 32 business houses today readily signed a circulated agreement to close doors, beginning this evening, at 7 p. m. This number practically includes all downtown houses except the drug stores and places of amusement.

McPherron Coming

Friends of Chas. E. McPherron, of Caddo, candidate for Congress, have been notified by him that he will address the voters of Ada Wednesday night. Ada people should make their arrangements to hear him. Mr. McPherron is an orator of repute and hearers may expect to be edified.

The Martins to Leave.

About the middle of April Dr. S. J. Martin intends moving back to his old Kentucky home, Bowling Green. Ada will be loath to lose the doctor and his estimable wife, for in many ways the family have endeared themselves in the hearts of our people. Miss Mollie Jernigan will probably remain in Ada till later in the summer.

The Event of the Season

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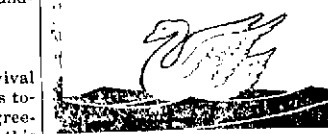
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INDIAN OF MEXICO DOCTILE

Essentially a Man of Peace, He Wants to Be Let Alone.

The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Beautiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he wants is to be let alone. His politeness and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back, or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and, holding the child's face between both his hands, deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And in the same unobtrusive and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day."

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold."

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and, extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald.

Her Reason.

"And does your mother kiss you every day when you come home from school?" "Yes, sir." "She must be very fond of you." "No; she wants to see if I've been smoking cigarettes."

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OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Friends of Capt. Sam Hargis are glad to see him again on the street after a several weeks' confinement with pneumonia. The Captain fought the disease as valiantly as he did the Yankees and fortunately with better luck.

Mrs. W. M. P. Rippey, who has been with her son Rev. T. L. Rippey while his wife was away in Tennessee, left today for her home at Okmulgee. W. M. Gaddis is here from Roff today.

V. C. Pally, A. A. Faust and J. E. Garrett, M. K. & T. bridge men and A. J. Farris of Stratford are registered today at the Dorland.

The secret of fashionable society asked the question of a noted beauty specialist. In order to be round rosy, plump, very pretty and stylish take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea 35 cents G. M. Ramsey

W. C. Castleberry brought to the News office this morning some of the finest strawberries the writer has seen this season. He says the berry crop is going to be exceptionally good as the berries are far advanced for this early date. Mr. Castleberry has many beautiful roses and other flowers and promises to bring this office a supply soon.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine. She is round plump and handsome in fact she is young again. 35 cents. Teal Tablets G. M. Ramsey

E. L. Steed left last afternoon on a trip to Kansas City.

G. Cleve Harris, now employed at Madill, visited home folk from Saturday till Tuesday. Henceforth he will keep in touch with his old home through The Evening News.

Mrs. Robt. Gambell of Muskogee is visiting relatives in the city.

O. F. Meyers, of the treasurer's department, Pioneer Telephone Co., Oklahoma City, was here today on company business.

When you want the best meal in the city

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We serve the best dinner in the city Short Orders at all hours Our kitchen always open for your inspection—you can watch your order cooked, and know that what you get is what you order. Don't forget the place—THE ENGLISH KITCHEN

A traveling orchestra of rather urbane looking negroes from Coalgate is doing the town today. Young men had them out serenading last night.

M. Griffin O. Neil, the city's employed engineer in the waterworks construction arrived from Dallas today to spend two or three days inspecting the progress of the work.

Just received full line of latest spring styles of photographic goods. Don't fail to see them. Stall Studio, Henley & Biles building 32d St.

Mrs. Armstrong left today for a visit with friends at Greenville, Texas.

E. S. Rathiff was in Stonewall today. J. C. Cates returned to Stonewall today after interviewing a number of the sovereign voters.

Judge Hilton went down to capture Stonewall today.

D. W. Swaffar and family this morning returned to Stonewall.

The English Kitchen is having a spring renovation at the front and throughout the interior.

W. H. L. Campbell and J. P. Crawford were also among the Ada politicians who went to Tulsa last night.

J. D. Loofer received a letter from his brother G. S. Loofer in the show business in Australia and known as Broncho George, which said he expected soon to sell out to start for America. It took the letter a month to get here.

Pete Rollow got luck from Shawnee this morning.

May Stewart

In Ingomar at the opera house Thursday night, March 2nd, will undoubtedly be an event that will attract a large fashionable house. In speaking of Miss Stewart's performance of Ingomar in Dallas, Texas, the Beau Monde of that place says: "The editor has seen several famous Parthenas but none more charming than Miss Stewart makes. She looks as well as acts the part. Charming, naive, sweet, winsomeness and fine carriage of the character. She portrays with a naturalness that is delightful. She wears her Greek gowns with excellent grace."

Attempted Burglary

Last Saturday night when C. C. Price returned from the scene where Will Hays was crushed in the trunk he and one unknown party trying to effect entrance into his home. The would be burglar was frightened away and but a very hasty retreat. Mr. Price thinks he knows who it was.

IT MEANS FURMAN FOR SENATOR

Will Be Blanket Primary; Plurality of People's Votes to Control.

Special to The News

Tulsa, I. T., March 26, 4 p. m.—At the meeting here today of the State Democratic Central Committee at least 200 visiting democrats are in attendance and much enthusiasm prevails.

Naturally candidates and their lieutenants are numerous. It is said the Oklahoma politicians are in control of the committee.

It will be a blanket primary for nominations of all officers including U. S. Senators. This is considered a movement in the interest of Cruce for governor. Robt. L. Williams of Durant authorized announcement of himself for the supreme bench. It appears certain Haskell will run for governor.

Judge Furman received a great ovation. The blanket primary now a certainty, his election is now conceded by all but his political foes.

A big banquet tendered by Tulsa is in store for the guests tonight.

GAVE ROBBERS HORSELAUGH

Engineer Pulled Wide the Throttle and Passed Them Up.

Tulsa, I. T., March 26.—Don't stop at Keifer, robbers preparing for a hold up, read a message which the operator handed the conductor of a Frisco east-bound passenger at Mounds last night. Heeding the warning the conductor gave the engineer notice to open the throttle.

The engineer was sighted and the train dashed through there at the rate of a mile a minute.

The robbers were seen about a half mile east of the station. Many of the passengers had been informed of what was expected, secreted their valuables and crouched under the seats. The would be train robbers, after the train had passed, returned, held up a gambing house in Keifer and fled.

Strayed

One light tan blazed-faced mare about 8 years old about 13 hands high brand J. T. but on left shoulder shod all around, \$100 reward. Please notify J. H. Bullock, box 173, Ada, I. T. 2nd St.

Improper action of the kidneys causes backache, lumbago, rheumatism, Piles, kidney troubles, that will leave these diseases. Pleasant to take and guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Relief in every case. Sold by G. M. Ramsey drug store.

Would Enjoin Election Board

Guthrie, Okla., March 26.—Horace Steel, former United States district attorney, filed suit in the district court here last night for Joseph J. Adams, a citizen tax payer of Greer county, asking an injunction restraining the supreme election board as created by the constitutional convention from taking any action whatever toward holding the election on August 1 for submitting the constitution to the people from appointing any election officers from furnishing books, supplies and papers for the election and from doing any of the things placed in their authority by the convention.

The election board is held illegal because it takes from the rightful election board under the Oklahoma election law which is extended over Indian Territory by the enabling act, the duties which belong to the governor and secretary of Oklahoma as constituting such board.

The county election boards as to be named by the supreme election board are held illegal because taking from the county clerk and county commissioners the duties belonging to them as election commissioners.

The election inspectors named by the supreme election board are held illegal because they usurp the duties belonging under the laws to township trustees.

It is set forth too that the legislative apportionment made by the convention is wrong and illegal, because some districts are made for a population of five hundred to six hundred voters while others have as high as three thousand voters within them thus showing the disfranchisement practically of many voters.

The action of the convention is held in violation of the enabling act in dividing those counties in Oklahoma that are mentioned by names as constituting certain congressional districts. It is finally held that the division of Greer county in particular was without legislative authority and will result to the great and lasting damage of the county and to the irreparable injury of the county and the tax payers thereof, lessening the valuation of property within the county.

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DAWES COMMISSION CAR

Coming Wednesday to Deliver Patents to Indians.

To the southbound M. K. & T. today was attached the special combination car bearing the large volume of Chickasaw and Choctaw land patents yet to be delivered.

The car will stop at Stonewall and remain 24 hours. About noon Wednesday it will return to Ada and remain here till Thursday night.

The employees in charge stated that the News reporter that the deeds are being delivered fast.

Railroad Time Table

GOING SOUTH	
Meteor	8 07 am
Sherman Express	10 23 am
Texas Passenger	7 23 pm
GOING NORTH	
Meteor	5 02 pm
St. L. & K. C. Express	11 50 pm
Eastern Express	9 40 am

GOING SOUTH	
Passenger Local	11 10 am
	1 55 pm
GOING NORTH	
Passenger Local	3 55 pm
	12 15 pm

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL R. R.	
GOING EAST	
Passenger	3 30 pm
GOING WEST	
Passenger	11 05 am

Francis Man in the Toils

Denver, March 26.—H. H. White, a banker of Francis, I. T., has been brought to Denver from Silverton, Col., and placed in the county jail by Deputy United States Marshal Clark to await his return to the territory on the charge of embezzling ten shares of stock of the Francis Bank. The stock was in the name of Macey Noble. It is said an officer from Ardmore, I. T., is on his way here.

Off to Tulsa.

W. H. Eber, T. D. McKeown, Reuben M. Roddie and Otis B. Weaver left last night for Tulsa to attend the big Democratic meeting today, whereat it will probably be decided what sort of a state primary we shall have.

HAMMOCKS

Mean solid comfort during the coming hot weather

We have a nice assortment of exceptionally good values in hammocks ranging in price from \$1 to \$3.50. Allow us to show you.

MASON DRUG CO.

The Progressive Pharmacists

Phone 44.

We have sold all our brick on hand but if you or your friends are going to build you run no risk in placing your order with us. We make brick now at the rate of 20,000 per day, and we are preparing to make anything you want in the line of burnt clay ware. Our circular letter to users of building material in clay ware will be ready in a few days. Write for it.

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The Nickel Store

Why Pay More?

Why pay big profits when the

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is satisfied with small ones. This store made low prices possible in many lines. Hundreds of pleased customers have told their story of quality and price. One price to all, and that the lowest cash price. Quick sales and small profits.

GARDEN SEEDS.

Choice new crop 1907 seeds, the large full weight packages, 2 for 5c. We also sell everything in the line of bulk seeds at half the usual prices.

LAMPS

Usually merchants expect to make big profits on lamps. We like profits but we prefer small ones and lots of business. Size up our lamp bargains, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c.

Big Bargains in Hardware and Enamelware

10 quart Enamel Buckets 75c values for 50c. 14 qt. Enamel Dish Pans for 50c. 7 qt. Enamel Tea Kettles for 60c. 2 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 10c. 5 qt. Enamel Pudding Pan for 15c.

FILES All first class hand saw files, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2, for 3c each. Flat files, 6 inch 5c, 8 inch 10c, 10 inch 15c or 2 for 25c.

Shoe Tacks, 4 lb. boxes. Braced Shoe Nails, 4c. Hammer, First class steel nail hammers 4c, tack hammers 5c and 10c. Tacks, Carpet tacks, 500 count, 5c per box.

Bargains in Stoneware

Milk Crocks, 1 gal. size 6c, 2 gal. size 12c. Milk tall jars, 1 gal. size 6c, 2 gal. size 12c.

FINE CHINAWARE

Salad Dishes, usually sold at 50c, for 25c. Bread dishes, unusually nice lot, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. Cups and Saucers, gold decorated, semi porcelain, etc. a set. Dinner Plates of same goods, etc. a set.

Dishes, Bakers, Bowls, Platters, Pitchers, etc. We are selling this high-grade ware as cheap as the plain white is usually sold for.

All over the store you will find new goods, all at fair prices. Hundreds of real bargains. Clean cut-naps. We respect fully invite you to call, whether you wish to buy or not.

The Nickel Store

5c and 10c Store of Ada

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LA FRANCE SHOE

For Women

What can be more satisfying than the knowledge of being becomingly dressed—especially on Easter Sunday? Secure a pair of La France shoes, and, so far as footwear is concerned this satisfaction will be yours. Right here at the store there is now being exhibited an assortment of the La France spring and Easter models, every pair of which is a pleasing example of best shoe making. No matter what style or finish you ask to see—or how exacting your demands—there's a La France that will appeal to your judgment and give the desired appearance and comfort to your foot.

Among other La France advantages you should not fail to see the new Flexible Welt shoe—More comfortable than a turn.

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THE ARTISTIC WALL

One of Solid Color Will Always Give Best Effect.

The dearest daintiest most artistic wall is a solid colored wall. It furnishes a perfect background for all kinds of pictures. It throws them out in their correct proportions and does not detract from their artistic value. The solid colored wall is also much better as a background for furniture, and has no more much more artistic with curtains and rugs than any other method of wall treatment. The less breaking up of color on a wall the more artistic it is.

The most successful form of the solid colored wall is an all colored wall. There is no much difference between tinted walls and there is between shoddy and all colored walls. The shoddy wall has its color for a few days while the all colored wall keeps its color to the very last. The solid colored wall is also much better as a background for furniture, and has no more much more artistic with curtains and rugs than any other method of wall treatment. The less breaking up of color on a wall the more artistic it is.

For sale by all dealers. 70 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, N. Y.

Years Cigarette Output

The cigarette output of the U. S. in 1913 was 1,000,000,000. This is a record. The output in 1912 was 800,000,000. The output in 1911 was 600,000,000. The output in 1910 was 400,000,000. The output in 1909 was 200,000,000. The output in 1908 was 100,000,000. The output in 1907 was 50,000,000. The output in 1906 was 25,000,000. The output in 1905 was 12,500,000. The output in 1904 was 6,250,000. The output in 1903 was 3,125,000. The output in 1902 was 1,562,500. The output in 1901 was 781,250. The output in 1900 was 390,625. The output in 1899 was 195,312. The output in 1898 was 97,656. The output in 1897 was 48,828. The output in 1896 was 24,414. The output in 1895 was 12,207. The output in 1894 was 6,103. The output in 1893 was 3,051. The output in 1892 was 1,526. The output in 1891 was 763. The output in 1890 was 381. The output in 1889 was 190. The output in 1888 was 95. The output in 1887 was 47. The output in 1886 was 23. The output in 1885 was 11. The output in 1884 was 5. The output in 1883 was 2. The output in 1882 was 1. The output in 1881 was 0.5. The output in 1880 was 0.25. The output in 1879 was 0.125. The output in 1878 was 0.0625. The output in 1877 was 0.03125. The output in 1876 was 0.015625. The output in 1875 was 0.0078125. The output in 1874 was 0.00390625. The output in 1873 was 0.001953125. The output in 1872 was 0.0009765625. The output in 1871 was 0.00048828125. The output in 1870 was 0.000244140625. The output in 1869 was 0.0001220703125. The output in 1868 was 0.00006103515625. The output in 1867 was 0.000030517578125. The output in 1866 was 0.0000152587890625. The output in 1865 was 0.00000762939453125. The output in 1864 was 0.000003814697265625. The output in 1863 was 0.0000019073486328125. The output in 1862 was 0.00000095367431640625. The output in 1861 was 0.000000476837158203125. The output in 1860 was 0.0000002384185791015625. The output in 1859 was 0.00000011920928955078125. The output in 1858 was 0.000000059604644775390625. 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The output in 1754 was 0.00000000000000000000000000000000000000293873587705571910739949932188455986263646454925111273464898547094188376753507014028056112224489798597195654263887826170515152634145658263390625. The output in 1753 was 0.00000000000000000000000000000000000000146936793852785955369974966094227933131822227487555636732449273547094188376753507014028056112224489798597195654263887826170515152634145658263390625. The output in 1752 was 0.00000000000000000000000000000000000000073468396926392977684987483047113966565911111373777818366224636773547094188376753507014028056112224489798597195654263887826170515152634145658263390625. The output in 1751 was 0.00000000000000000000000000000000000000036734198463196488842493741523556983282955555686888909183112318386773547094188376753507014028056112224489798597195654263887826170515152634145658263390625. The output in 1750 was 0.00000000000000000000000000000000000000018367099231598244421246870761778491641477777843444454591556161919386773547094188376753507014028056112224489798597195654263887826170515152634145658263390625. The output in 1749 was 0.00918354961579912221062343853808924820738888892172222729577808095969338677354709418837675350701

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